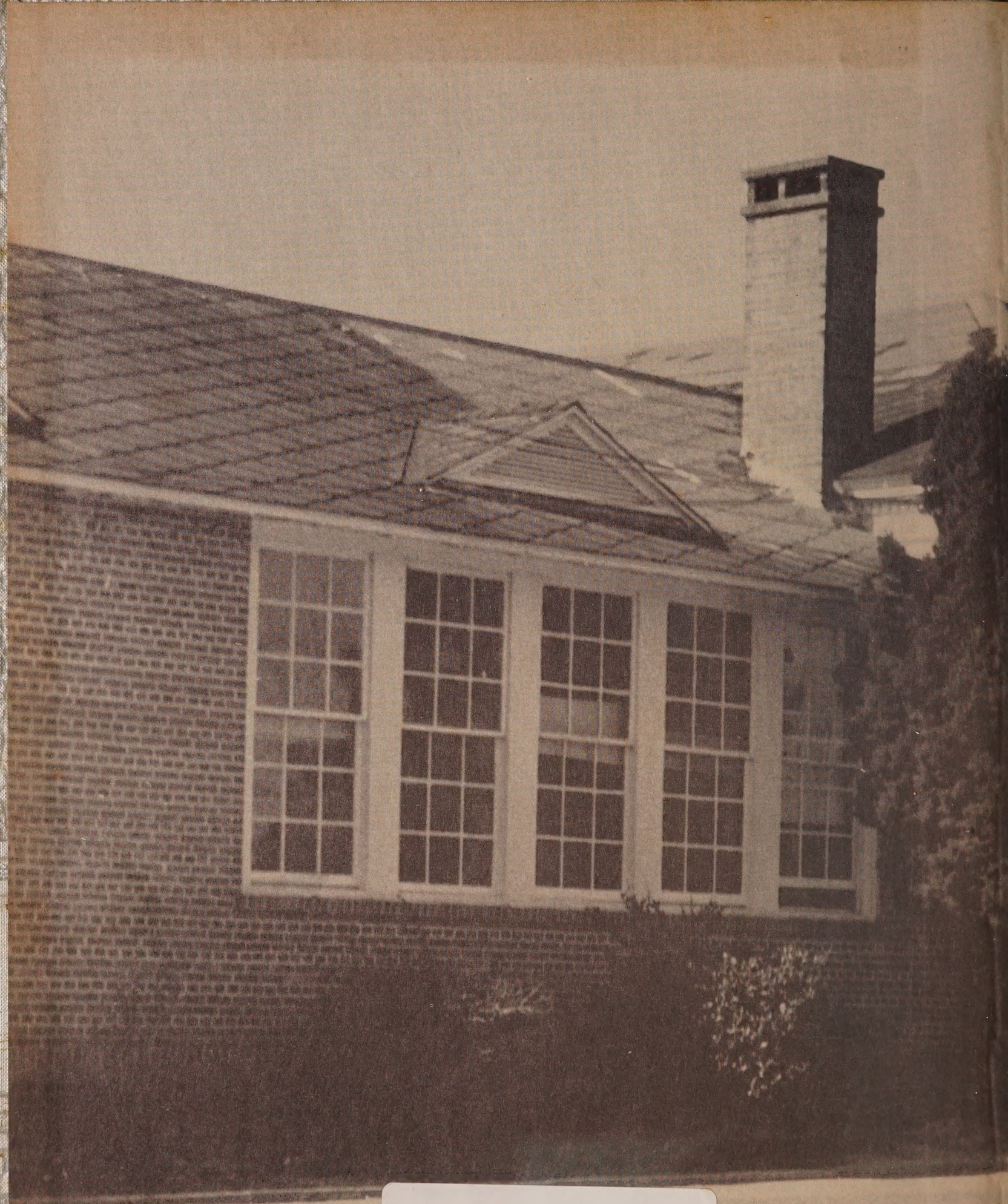
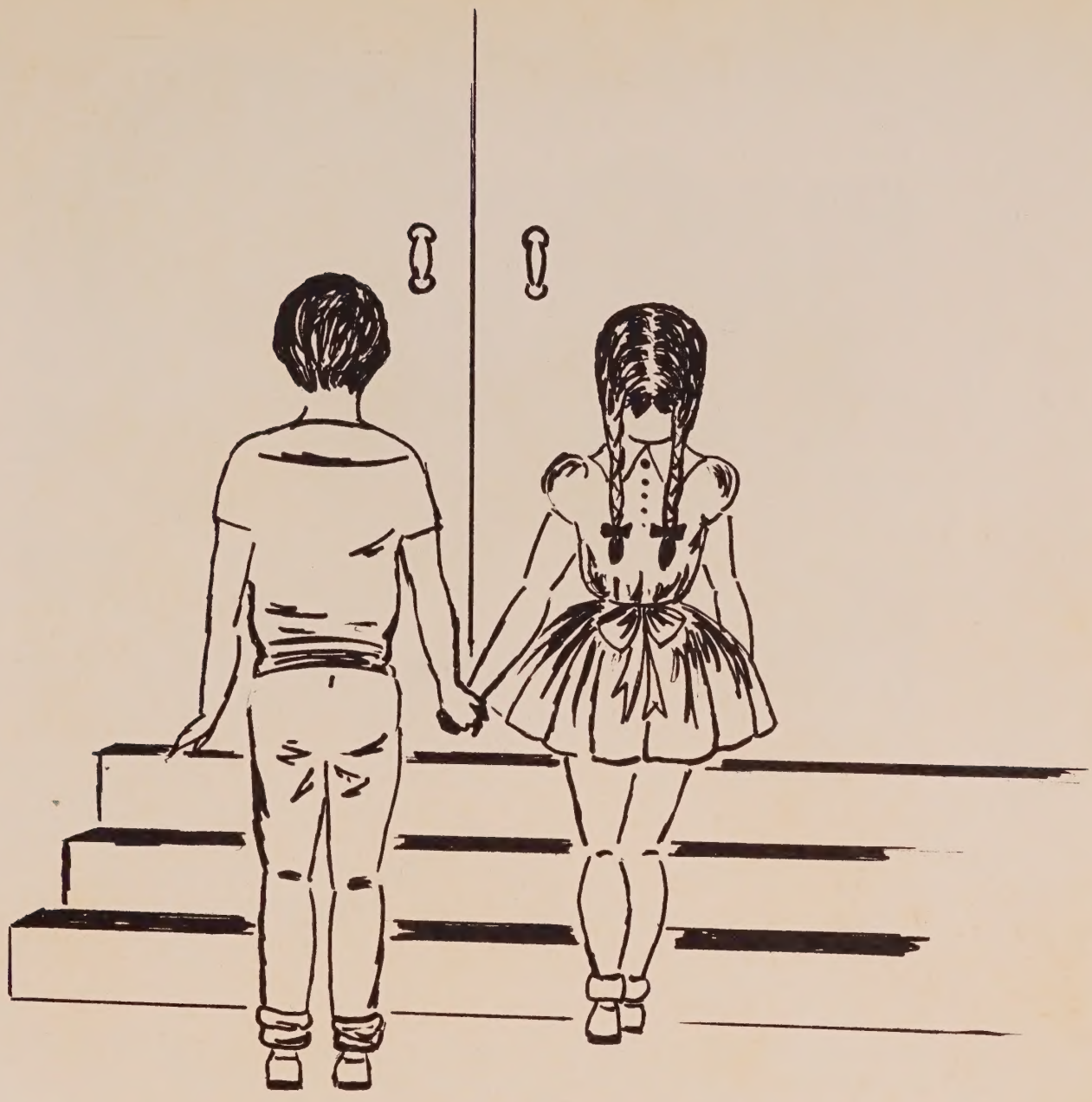
1950
JACKET BUZZ



2012 Property of
Vernon Historical Society
Donated by
Stephen Brown Simmons

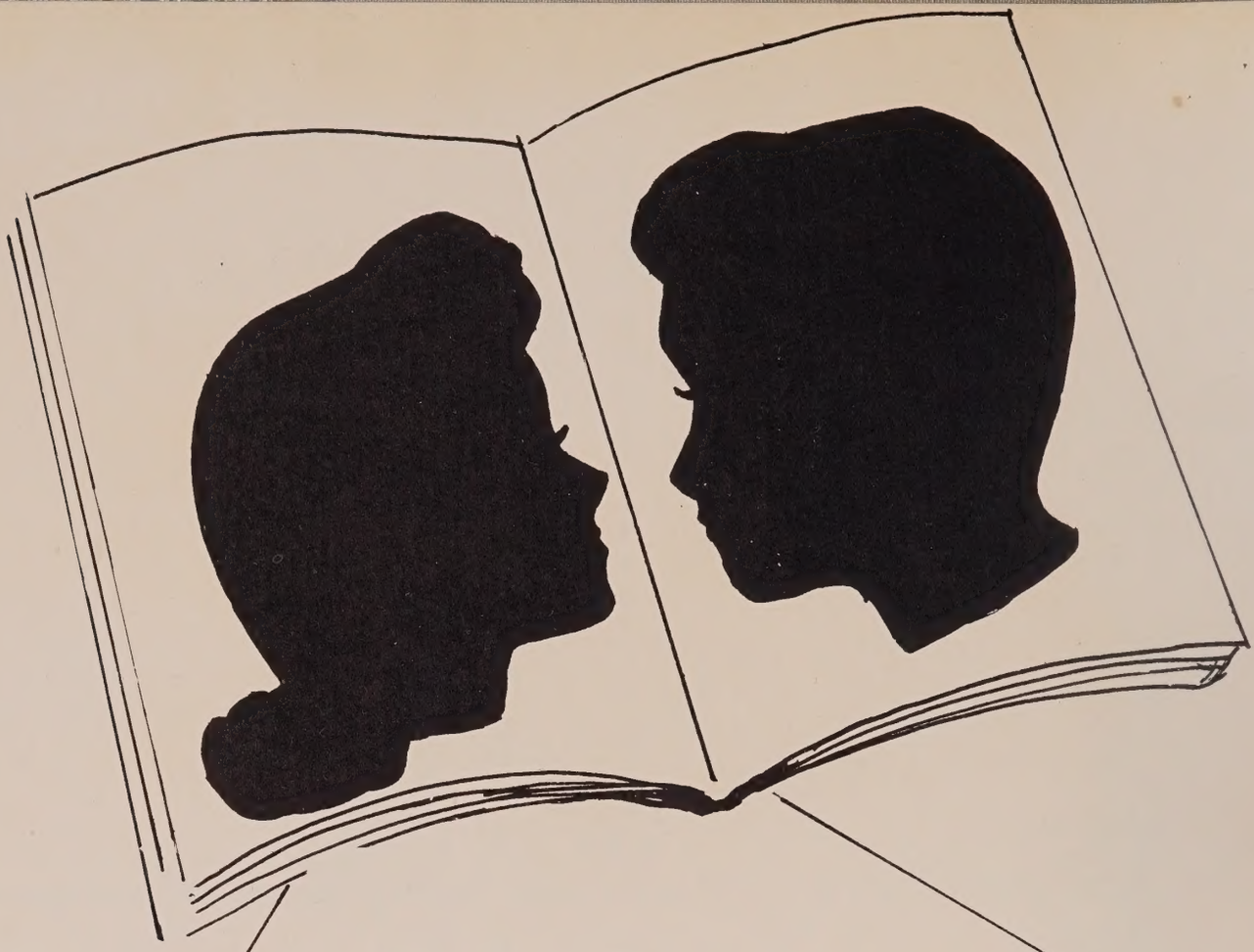


JACKET BUZZ 1960

VERNON HIGH SCHOOL

VERNON, FLORIDA
VOLUME 12

MEMBER OF FLORIDA SCHOLASTIC PRESS ASSOCIATION



contents

Title Page - - -

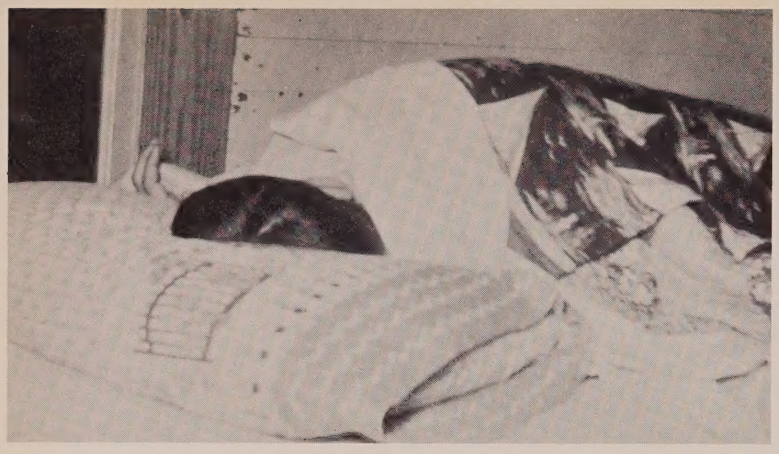
dedication

STANDING: Wilson Raley, Otis Hammock, Alex Wells, David Cook, Ernest Worthington, A. M. Swindle.

KNEELING: H. T. Waller, Roland Jenkins, C. W. Todd, Robert Hudson, Clark Rogers, Nevil Brock (not pictured).

The majority of the Senior Class has ridden to school for twelve years on school buses. This pleasant experience stands out in our memories. We'll never forget the bus drivers' never-ending patience, understanding, and friendship. So to you, the school bus drivers, the Senior Class dedicates the Jacket Buzz of '60.

a student's day

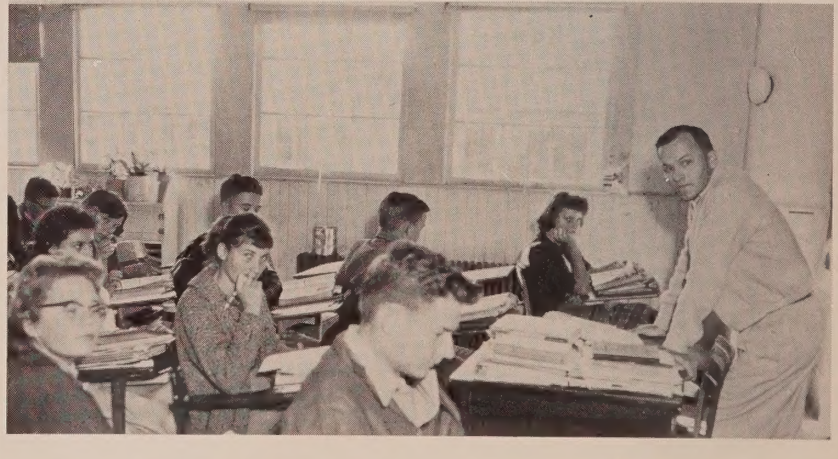


7:00 A.M. and all is well. But not for long, 'cause it's time to rise and shine.

A typical morning usually finds the student in the library.

And now a whole half hour - all we have to do is gobble our food like mad, and rush back to class. This is our leisure time!!

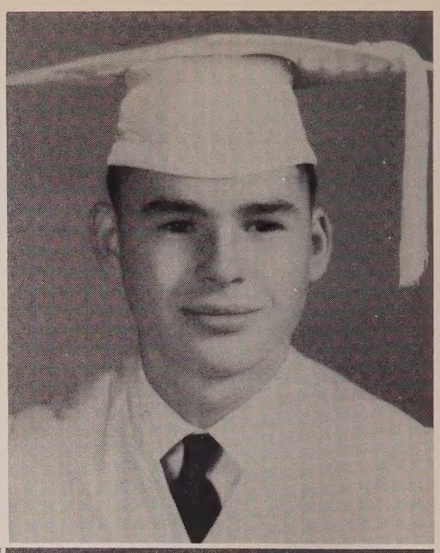
3:00 P.M. Students come rushing out of the front entrance. Another day is over and all is well.



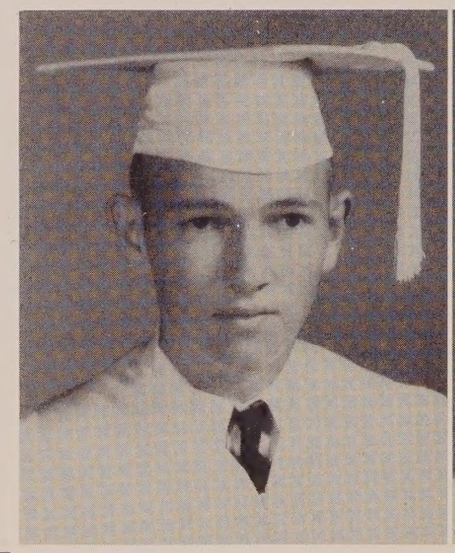
Afternoon sessions usually find Audrey Hudson, Loyal Jones, Earl Owen, Florine Strickland, Gary Hewett, Wanda Brock, Barbara Blair, Yvonne Vonn, Mel Harcus, and Sara Porter enjoying 9th grade math with Mr. Russ.

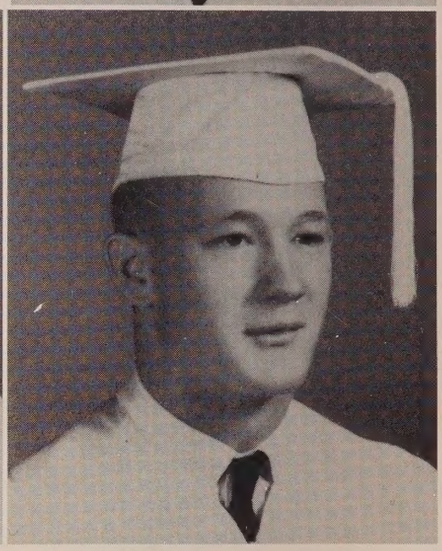
seniors

MAVIS ANNETTE ANDERSON
"Why can't the whole world be content like me?"
FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 2, 3; Student Council 3; Science Club 2; Dramatics Club 3



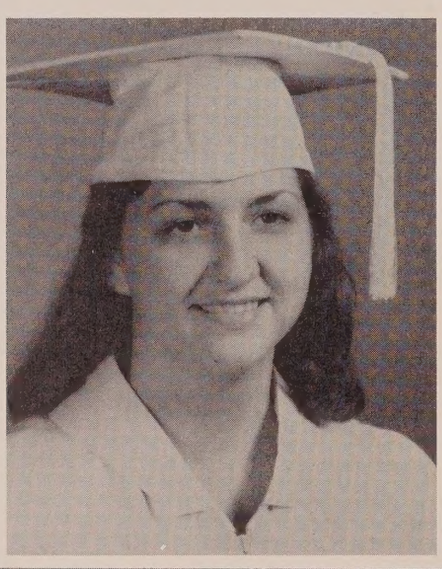
THEODORE ALBERT BAILEY
"Combination of a country gentleman and city slicker."
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 3; Junior Play



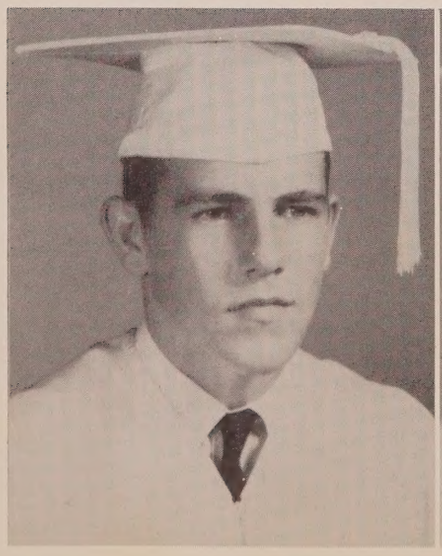


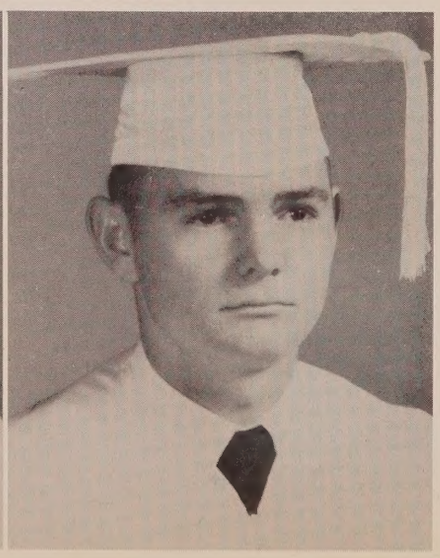
LLOYD FRANKLIN BRUNER
"He's a quiet guy, but quite a guy."
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3; Library Club 1

LARRY ARNOLD BRUNER
"Life is like a joke. What counts is not how long it is, but how good."
Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Captain 4; Basketball 1, 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Class President 4; Science Club 1; V-Club 2, 3, 4



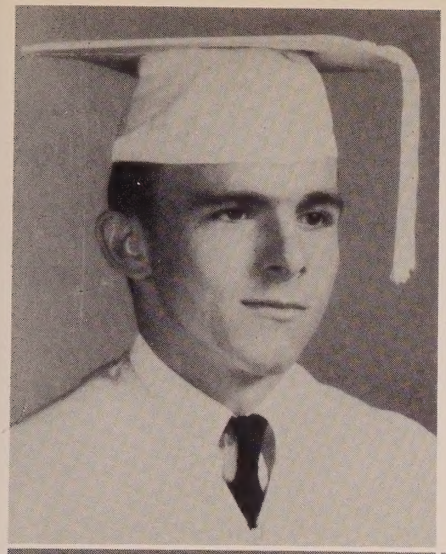
MARGARET BRUNER
"My heart is whole, my fancy free. Go away, young man, don't bother me."
FHA 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 2, 3; Library Club 3; Yearbook Staff 3, 4; Student Council 2; Miss VHS Candidate 3; Junior Play; Class Reporter 3; Homecoming Runner-Up 4





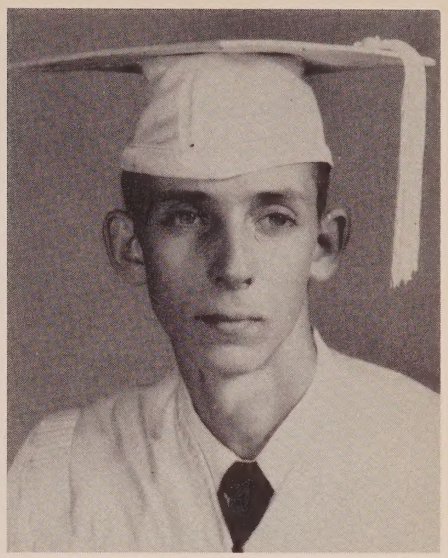
KENNITH MELVIN BROCK
"Written on his face by nature's hand, these two words, 'a gentleman!'"
FFA 1, 2, 3; 4-H Club 1, 2; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3; Science Club 1; Junior Play; Book Club 1

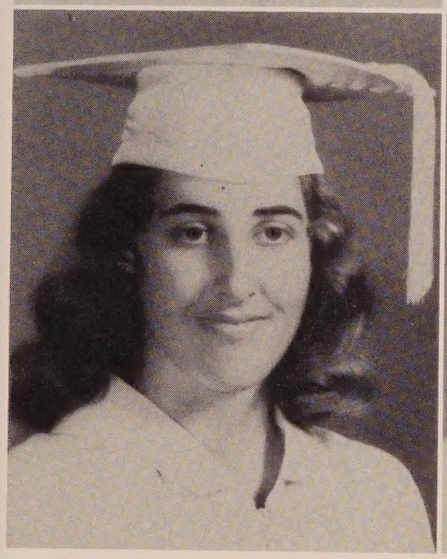
ARRAY BURCH
"Never in a hurry, never too slow, a guy like ARRAY is nice to know."
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 2; FTA 3, Vice President 3

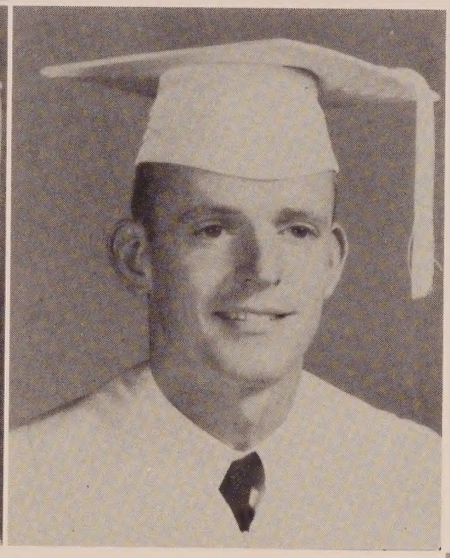


DOYLE CARTER
"Smiling and gay with never a care - always willing to do his share."
Football 1, 2; Basketball 2, 3; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4

ERIC WAYNE CARTER
"I agree with no one's opinion - I have one of my own."
FFA 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4







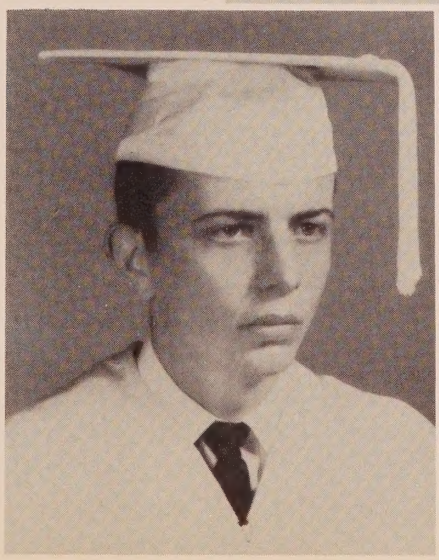
CHARLAINE COOK
"Friendship is to be purchased only by friendship."
FHA 1; Junior Play; 4-H Club 1; Dramatics Club 2; Library Club 4; Music Club 1, 2

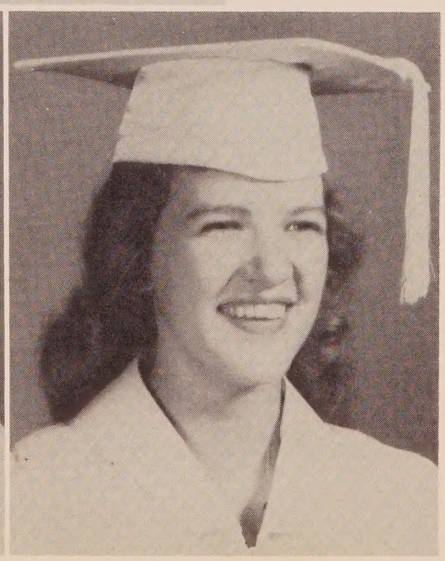
DOYLE RAYMOND CUMBIE
"To strive, to seek, to find, and not to forget to have fun while doing it."
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Football 1; Science Club 1, 2; Library Club 2; Dramatics Club 2, 3

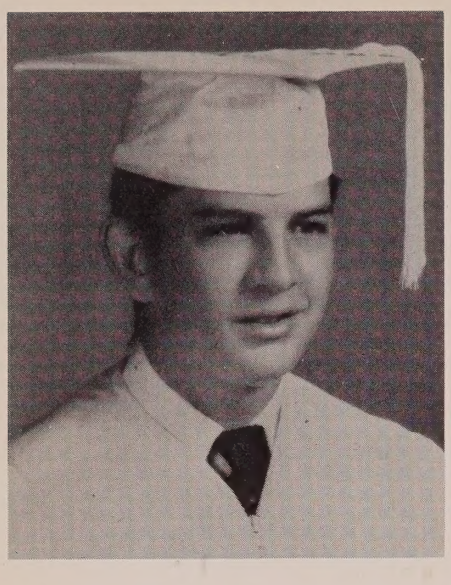
BETTY SUE DIEHL
"Generous, jolly, good-natured and clever, her tongue like a brooklet runs on forever."
Devotional Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 3; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3; Library Club 2; Junior Play

JAMES DAVID DIETZ
"Silence is better than empty chatter."
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Sentinel 4; 4-H 1

JOAN LEVINS DYKES
"Cute and sweet, always gay - just to have her around will brighten your day."
Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Paper Staff 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; FTA 2, 3; FHA 1; Dramatics Club 1; Yearbook Staff 4; Junior Play; Devotional Club Salutatorian

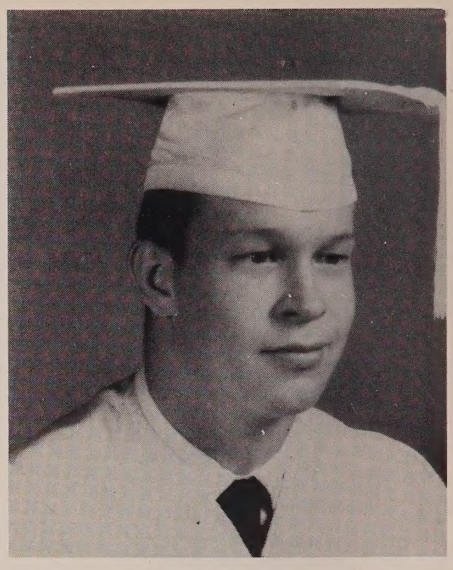


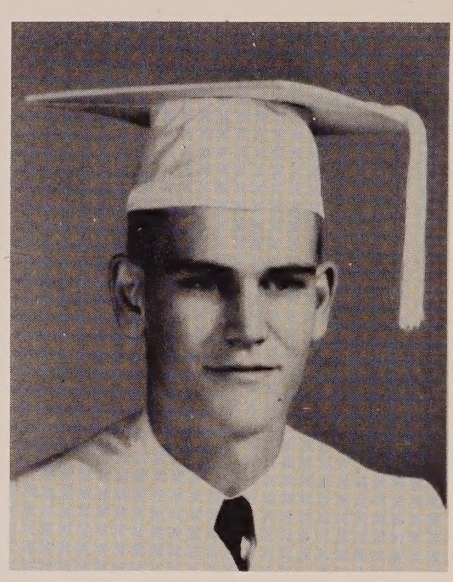




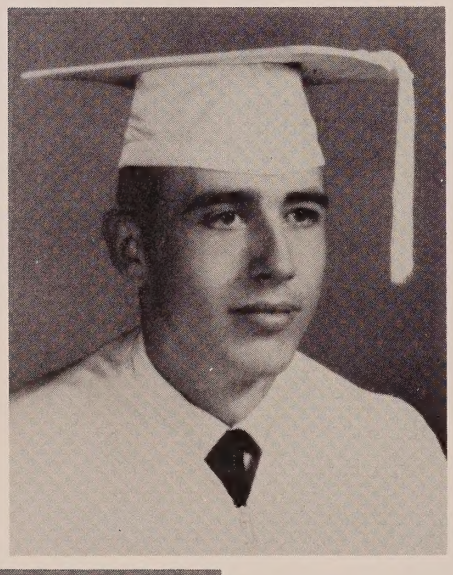
ARTHUR ANDERSON EBERLE
"Buddy doesn't care to be teacher's pet - fun is his aim in life, you bet!"
4-H Club 1; FFA 2; Book Club 1

ERNEST BROWARD FERGUSON JR.
"If silence is golden, he'll never be rich."
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2; 4-H Club 1, 2; Book Club 1, 2; V-Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play

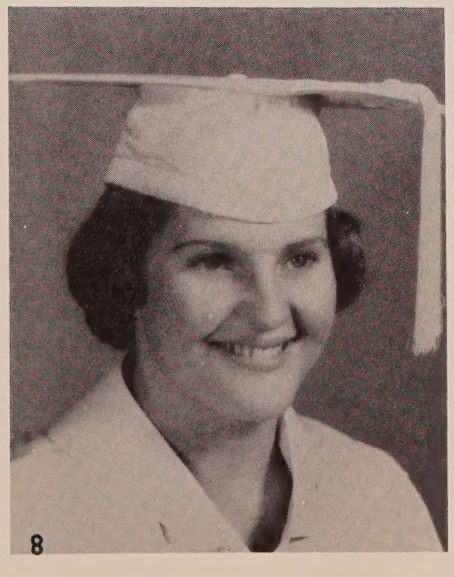




JAMES CARLOS FINCH
"What could be sweeter than slumber?"
FFA 1, 2, 3; Dramatics Club 3; Library Club 4, Reporter 4

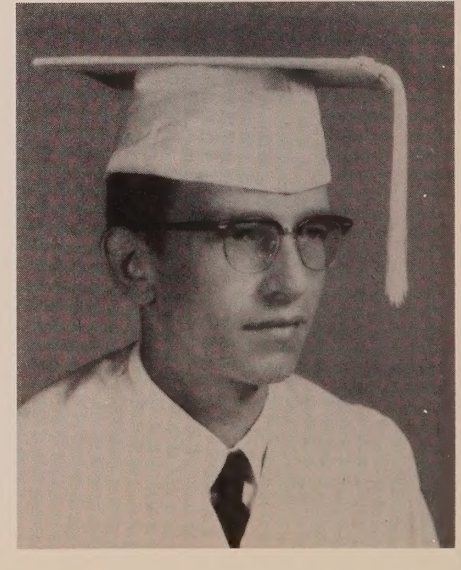


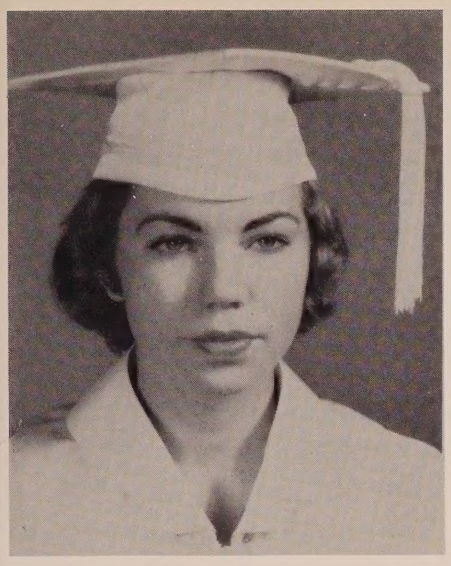
McARTHUR FINCH
"It matters not how a man dies, but how he lives."
FFA 1, 2, 3; 4-H Club 2; Library Club 2, 3



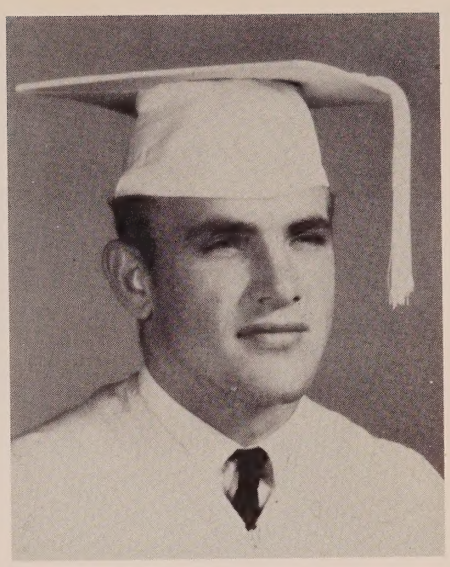
ELLEN LAVARA GAINER
"The course of true love never did run smooth."
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3; FHA 2; 4-H Club 3; Junior Play; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; History Club 4; Art Club

VAUGHN GALLOWAY
"Praise makes good men better and bad men worse."
Basketball 1, 2; FFA 1, 2, 4; 4-H Club 1; Book Club 1; Library Club 3

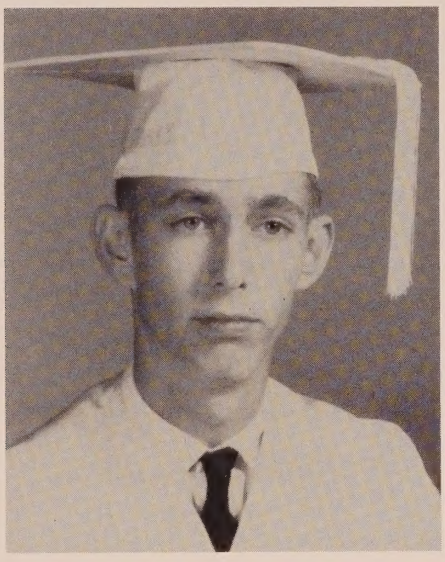




MINNIE FRANCES GILMORE
"Friendly smile, pretty green eyes - healthy, stealthy, and wise."
Cheerleader 3, 4, Captain 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, Reporter 3; Junior Play; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary-Treasurer; V-Club 4; 4-H Club 3

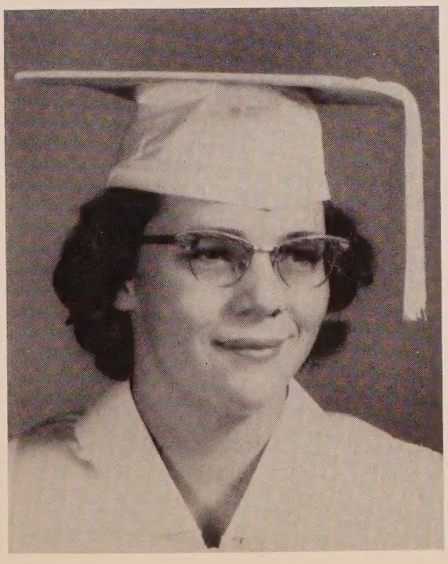


PRESTON HADDOCK
"Remember that time is money."
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1; 4-H Club 1; V-Club 1, 2, 3, 4

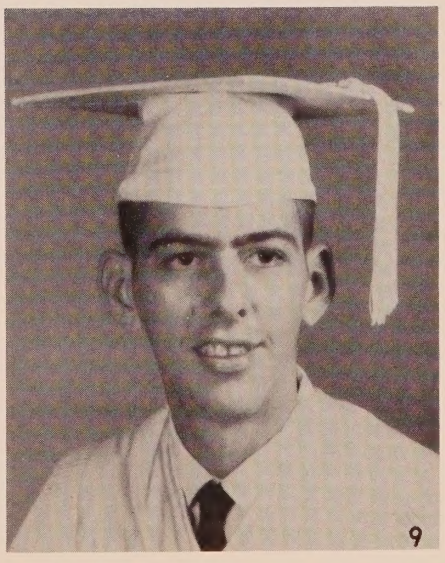


JAMES CALVIN HAGAN
"Truth is simple, requiring neither study nor art."
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; FTA 3

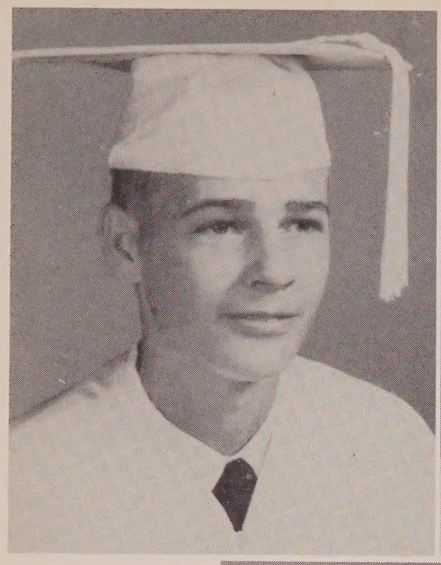
NELL MALVINA HANEY
"Good things come in small packages."
Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Historian 4; Devotional Club 1, 2, 3; 4-H Club 1, 2; Yearbook Staff 4; Art Club 1; Art Club 1; State Library Council Candidate

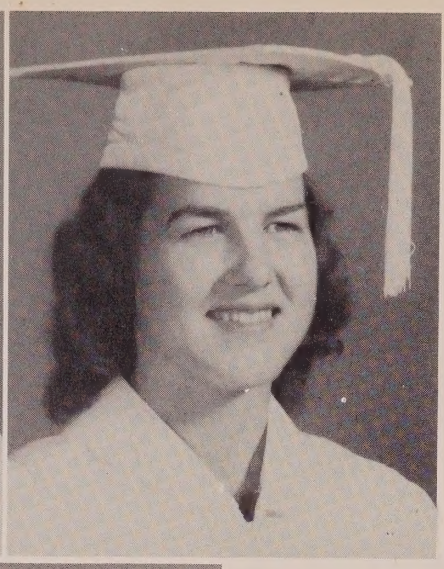


JULIA ANN HARE
"Character is simply a habit long continued."
Art Club 1, 2; 4-H Club 1, 2; FHA 1; Library Club 2, 3, 4



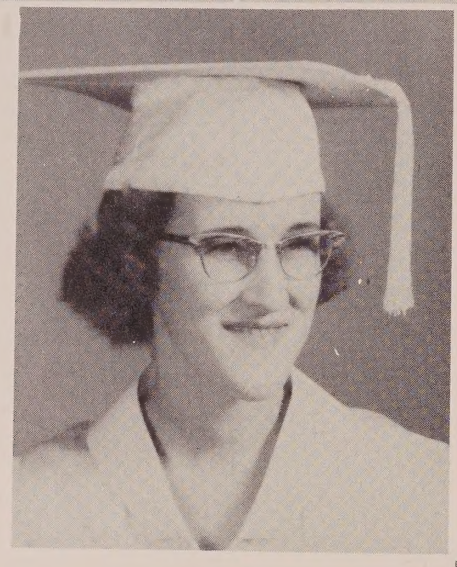
HOWARD HARRIS
"Always kind, well dressed and neat, a guy like Howard is nice to meet."
Student Council Representative; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; V-Club 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2; Paper Staff 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1; Junior Play; Baseball 4





HOWARD DAVID HAYES
"A man is rich in proportion to the number of things which he can afford to let alone."
Library Club 3, 4; Track 3, 4; FFA 3

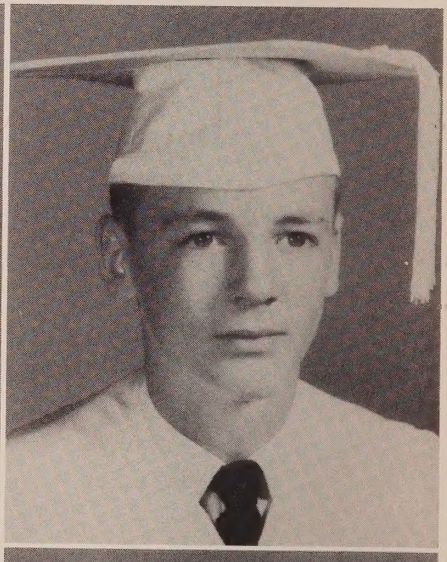
WANDA LAWRENCE HENDERSON
"A pleasant smile and kind word for everyone."
FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 3; Devotional Club; Junior Play

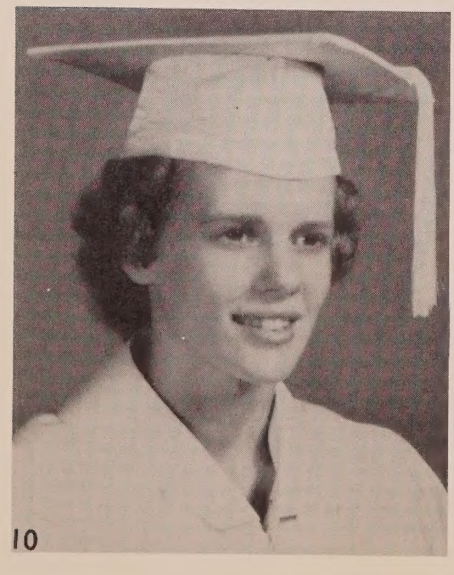


VERLA MAE HENDRIX
"With refined taste and realistic charm, Verla enjoys life fully. She rushes everywhere, speaks breathlessly, and lives smoothly."
Library Club 2, 3, 4, Vice President 2, President 3, 4; State Library Council 2, 3; Yearbook Staff 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 2; Dramatics Club 3; 4-H Club 3

NELDA FAYE HUGHES
"She must be seen to be appreciated."
FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 2, 3; Library Club 2, 3, 4; Science Club 2; Junior Play; Art Club 1

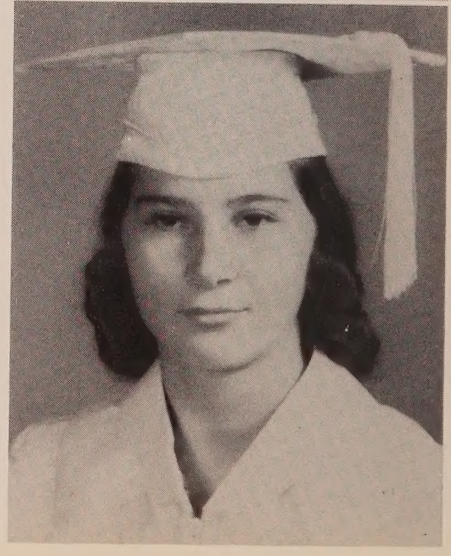
ROY SHERMAN LAND
"Handsome, short, slender, and sweet, a guy like ROY is nice to meet."
FFA 1, 2, 3; Junior Play; Dramatics Club 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2

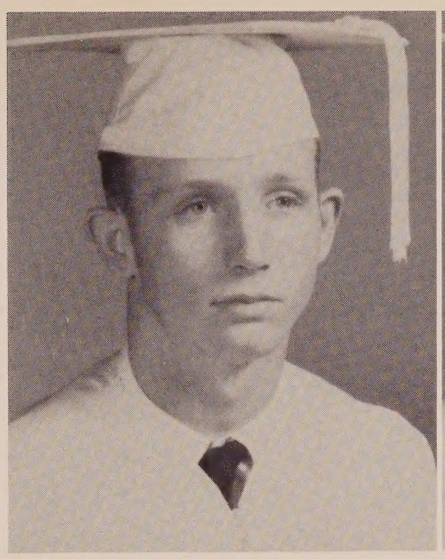




JOYCE ELAINE LEVINS
"Never thought so much energy could be stored in any one person."
Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 4; Dramatics Club 1; FHA 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Yearbook Staff 4; Paper Staff 4; Student Council 1, 3; Class President 2
Valedictorian

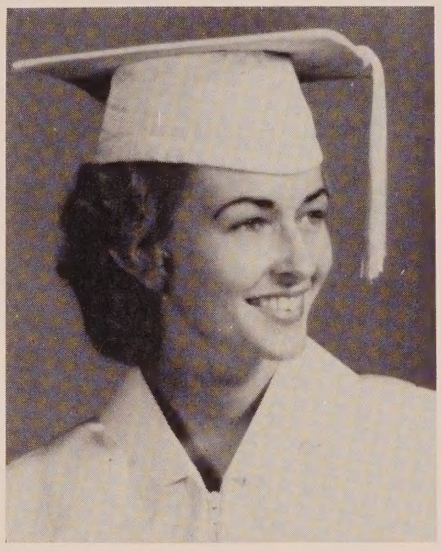
PATRICIA ANN LEWIS
"Listen to everyone, then do as you please."
Dramatics Club 1, 2; FHA 1, 2, 3; Devotional Club 1; 4-H Club 1, 3; Junior Play; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4



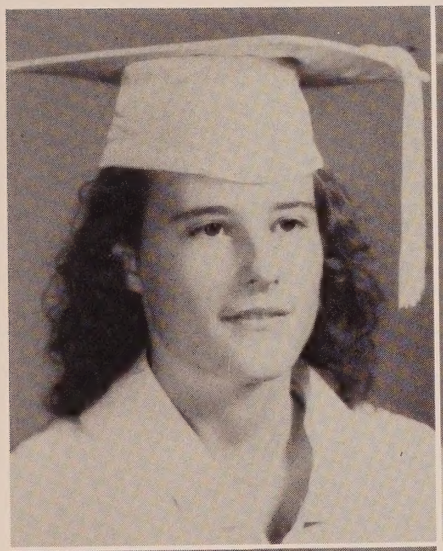


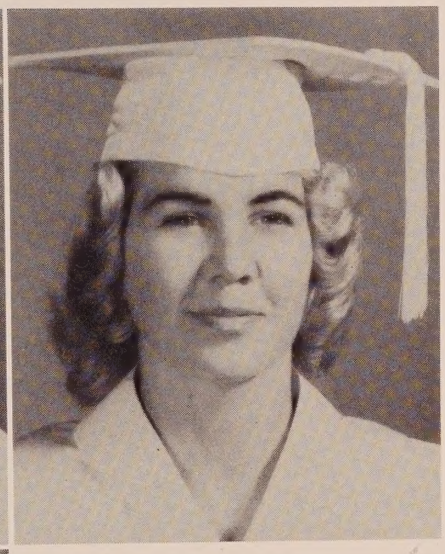
RALPH DANIEL MARTIN
"All great men come from the country."
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; V-Club 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2

OMA YVONNE NEWSOM
"It is the pleasant word and the smile you wear that makes the sun shine everywhere."
Class Reporter 4; FHA 1, 2, 3; Devotional Club 1, 2, 4, Vice President 2, Reporter 4; Dramatics 2, 3; Library Club 3; Junior Play



SHIRLEY OWENS
"Women are wiser than men because they know less and understand more."
Dramatics 3, 4, Secretary 3, President 4; FHA 1; Library Club 3, Secretary 3; Devotional Club 1, 2, Secretary-Treasurer 1; Student Council 2; Junior Play; Homecoming Queen Candidate 4



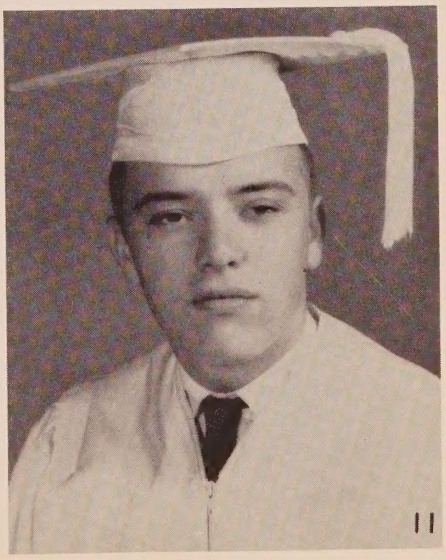


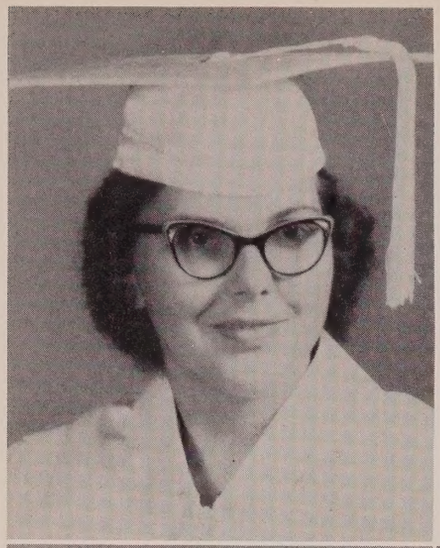
VITA MERL PETTIS
"Patience makes women beautiful in middle age."
Library Club 2, 3, 4; Devotional Club 1, 2, 3; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3

MARY JEANE PORTER
"The price of wisdom is above rubies."
Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Devotional 1; Dramatics 1; FHA 1

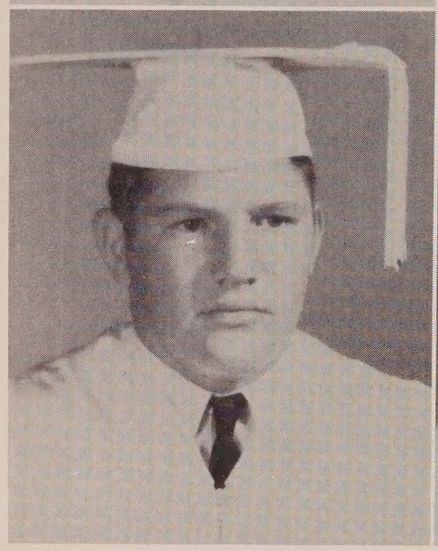
FRANCES CAROLYN ROBERTS
"A good heart is worth gold."
Glee Club 3; FHA 1; Devotional 2, 3; Library Club 1; 4-H Club 1

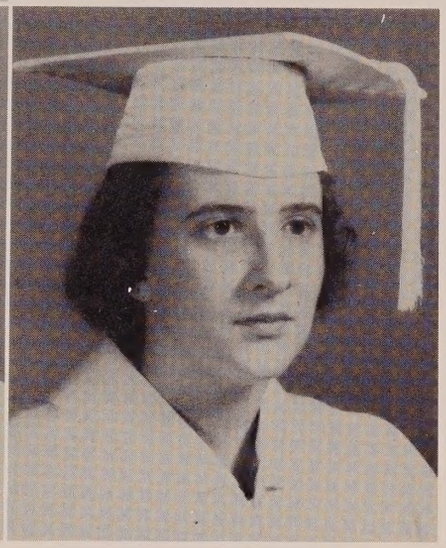
ROBERT JACKSON ROCHE
"It's nice to be natural when you're naturally nice."
Basketball Manager 1; Science Club 1; V-Club 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Junior Play





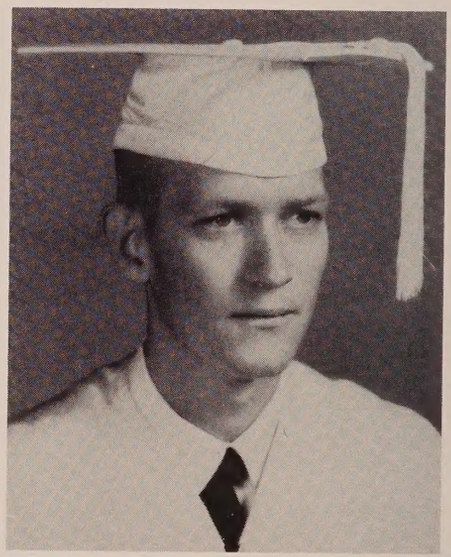
MARY KATHRYN RUSS
"Sweetest smile in VHS."
Student Council Representative; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 4; Class President 3; Beta Club 2, 3; Yearbook Editor 4; Paper Staff 3, 4; Junior Play; State Homemaker Degree



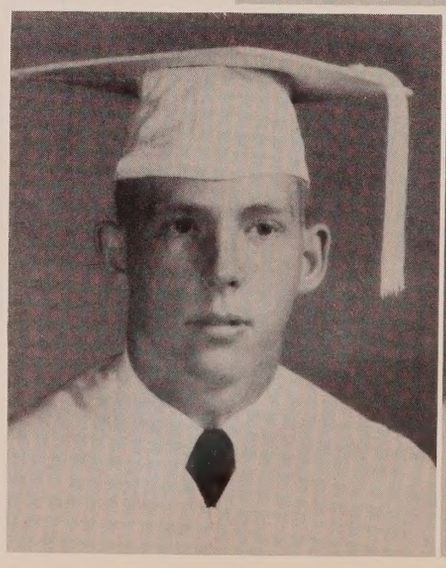


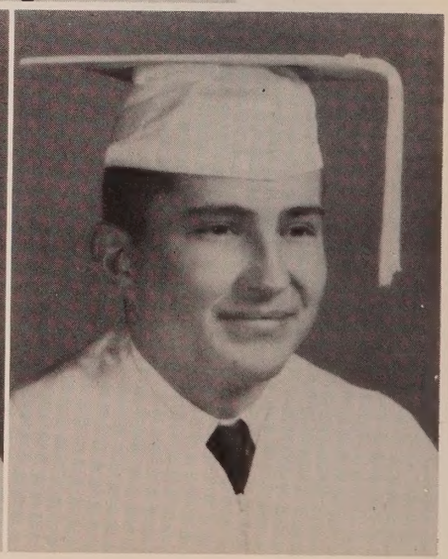
ALFRED THEODORE SIMMONS
"Ambition has no risk."
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; FFA 2, 3, 4; V-Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1; Science Club 2

CYNTHIA GRAHAM SLEEZER
"Girls have curious minds."
FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Reporter 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3, Vice President 3; Music Club 1; 4-H Club 3, County Delegate 3; Junior Play; Yearbook Staff 4



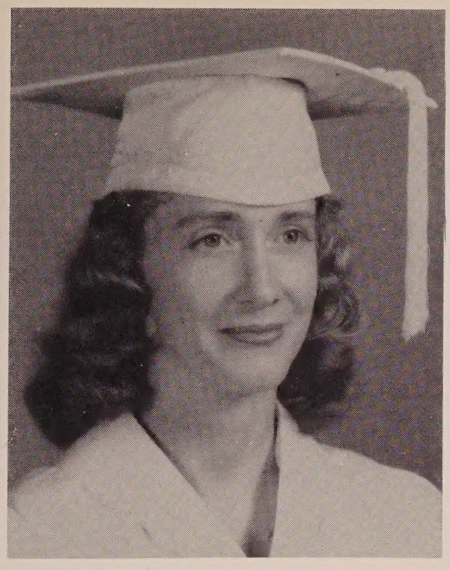
DONALD RAY SMITH
"Action is a mark of a great leader."
Student Council President 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 2, Reporter 3; Public Speaker 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 3



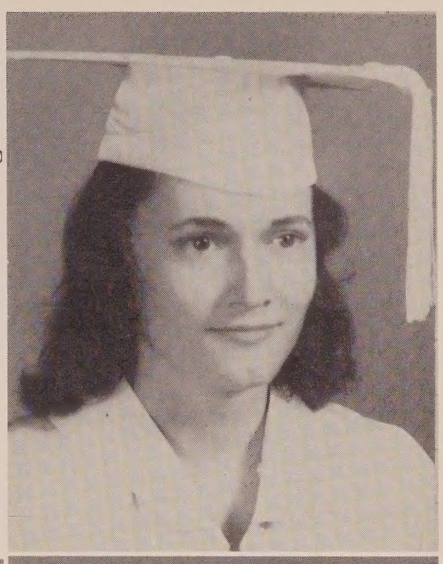


WILLIAM HENRY SQUIRES
"Youth is a blunder; manhood a struggle; old age a regret."
Football 4; FFA 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3

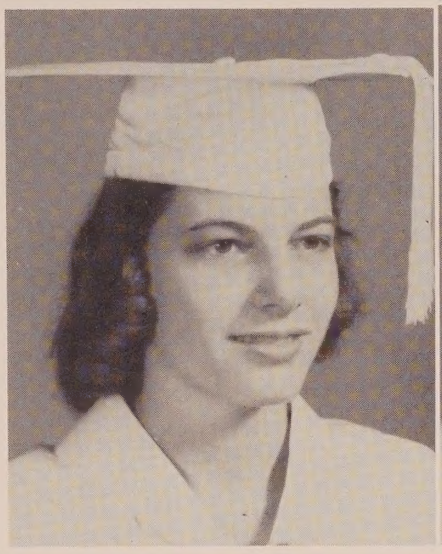
RICHARD THOMAS STILLER
"I live and love in God's peculiar light."
Boys' Club 2; Library Club 4; Class Reporter 2

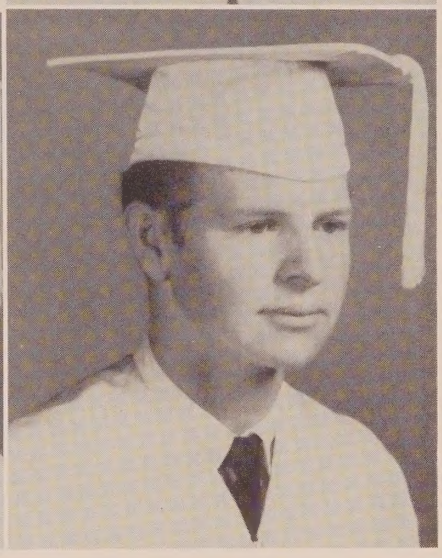


GEROAME YVETTE STRICKLAND
"Her care was never to offend; and every creature is her friend."
Glee Club 2, 3; Dramatics 2; Devotional 1; Book Club 2; Vice President 1; FTA 2, 3; Paper Staff 3, 4; Student Council 1



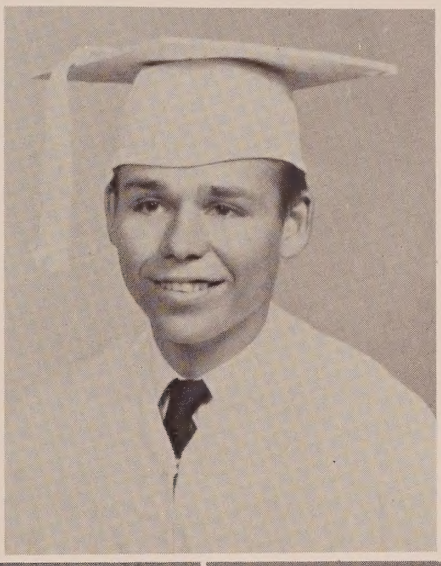
SHIRLEY FAYE SWINDLE
Vice President
"Love and marriage are the gift of life, for we know she will make a loyal wife."
Dramatics 1, 2; Secretary 2; Science Club 2; Secretary 2; Glee Club 3, 4; President 4; FTA 3; FHA 2, 3; Parliamentarian



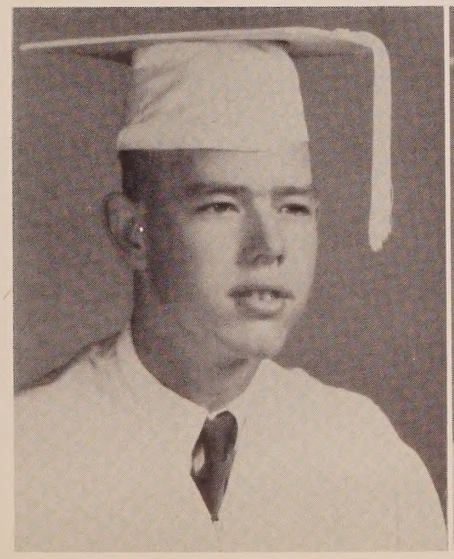


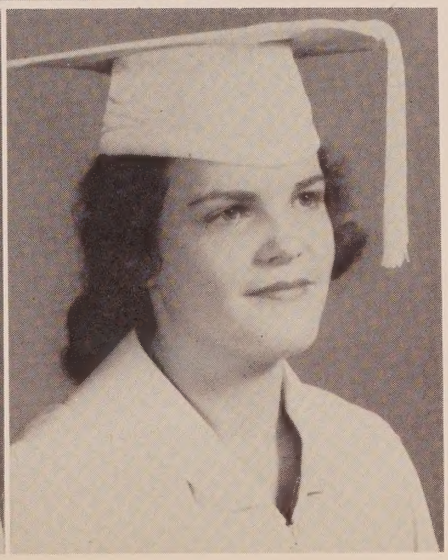
BARBARA JEAN SYFRETT
"Willingness leads to the road of success."
Secretary-Treasurer 3, 4; Paper Staff 3, 4; Devotional Club 1; Junior Play; Student Council 2; Secretary-Treasurer 2; Homecoming Candidate 4; Miss VHS Candidate 3; FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Yearbook 4; Dramatics 1, 2, 3

CARLIE EUGENE TAYLOR
"Thinking is but an idle waste of time."
FFA 1, 2



EDDIE GERALD TINDELL
"Work is work and must be done; yet as I work I have my fun."
Library Club 4; Vice President 4; Leather Craft 2; Baseball 1, 2





CARLTON ARCHIE WELLS
"I believe in work but I'm not in favor of it."
Football 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; FFA 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2

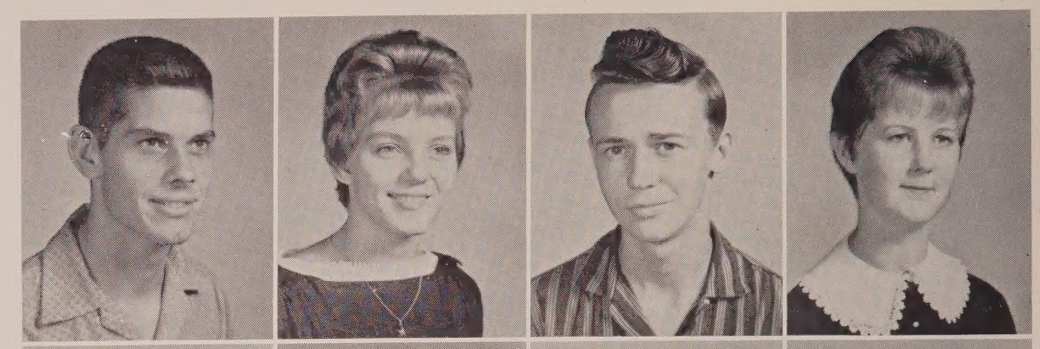
RUBY CATHREN WHITFIELD
"Friends and a friendly conversation are my companions."
Junior Play; FHA 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Devotional Club 1, 2; Dramatics 2, 3; 4-H Club 3; Secretary-Treasurer 3; Class Secretary-Treasurer 2

JOYCE LEVINS

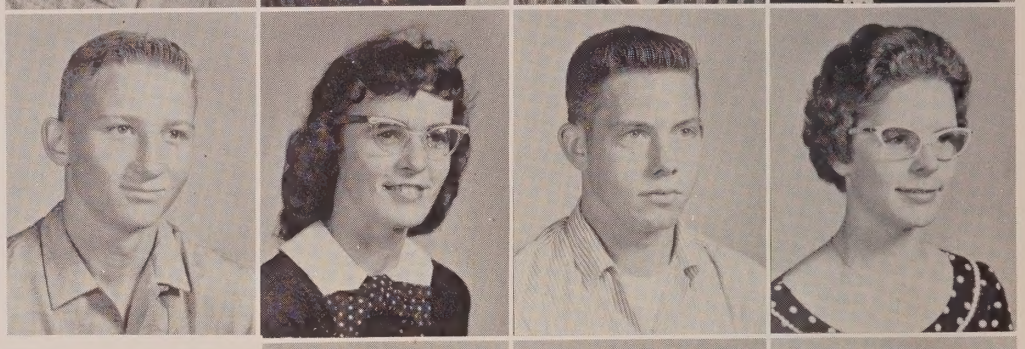
Homecoming Queen

juniors

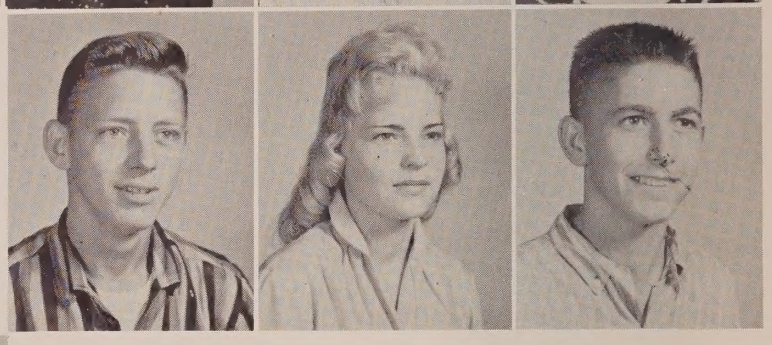
JACK DORCH
MARY CARTER
ROY YATES
JANICE SYFRETT

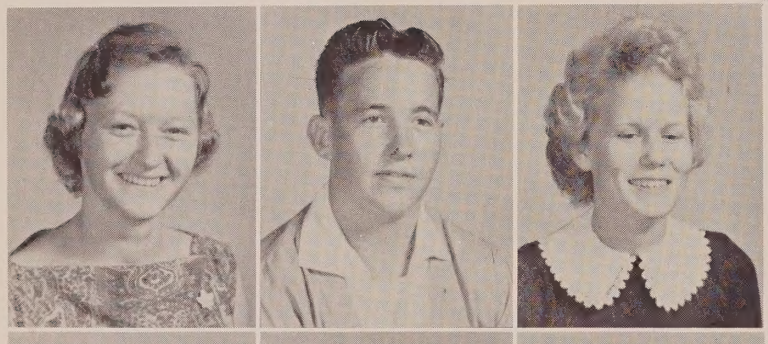


JIM HARRIS
KITTY GERREN
JERRY WEEKS
SONYA OWENS

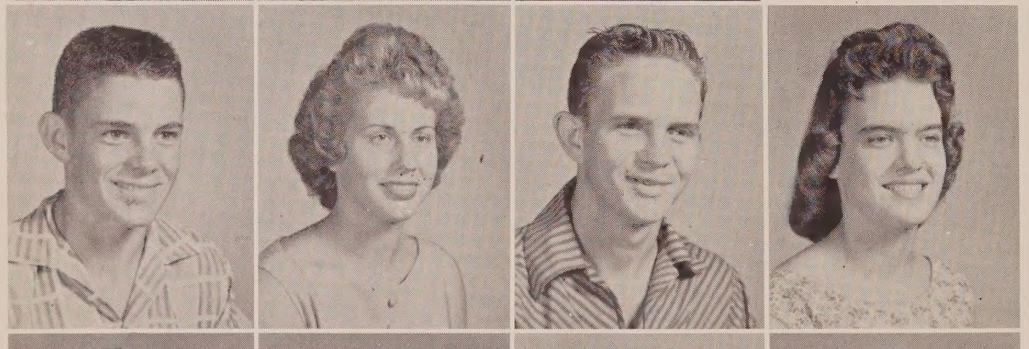


DONALD BOYETTE
MARY GILMORE
WILSON LEAVINS

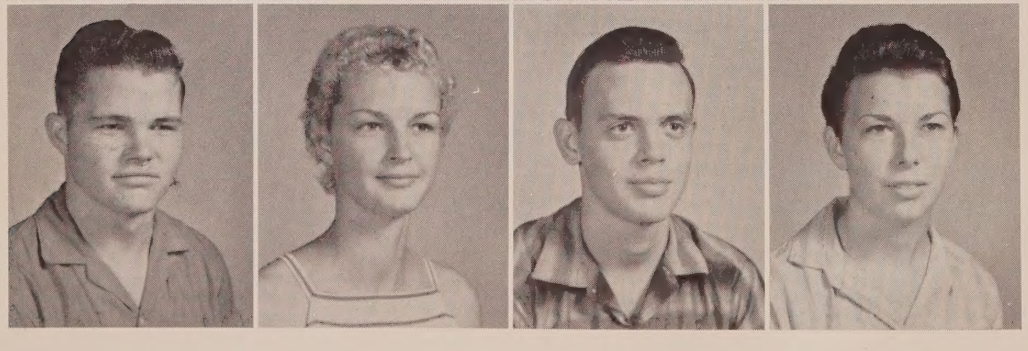




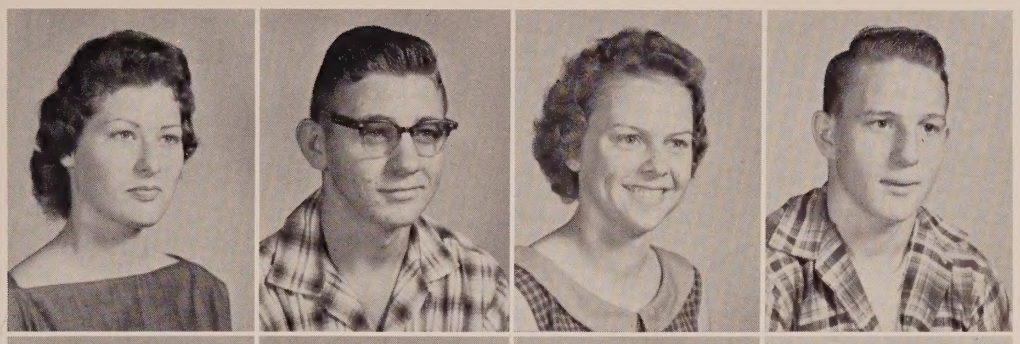
PHILLIS BONNER
JOHN EARL WALSINGHAM
KENNETH FINCH



JOE SHORES
DOROTHY MORRELL
JOSEPH FEROL
ANN HEWETT

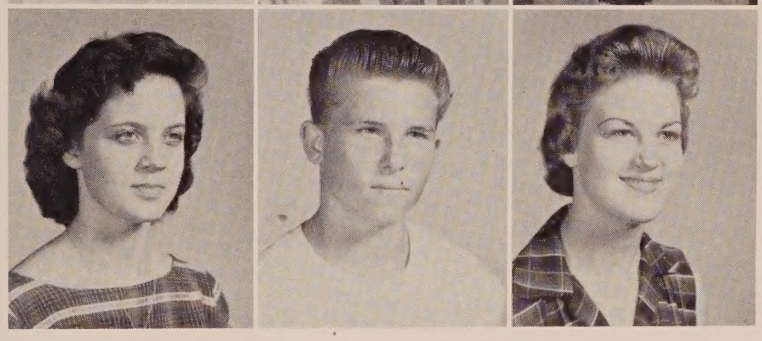


VIRGIL PENNINGTON
LUNELL GRANTHAM
GEORGE BARAGONA
VONCILE PETTIS

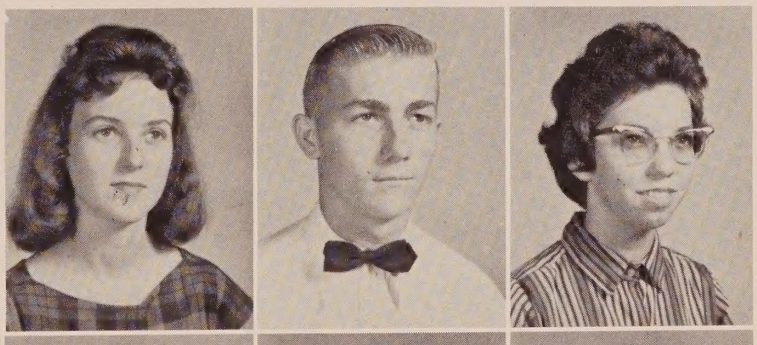


GAIL DYKES
EDSOL JENKINS
MARGERY PIPPIN
JOHN EARL WALSINGHAM

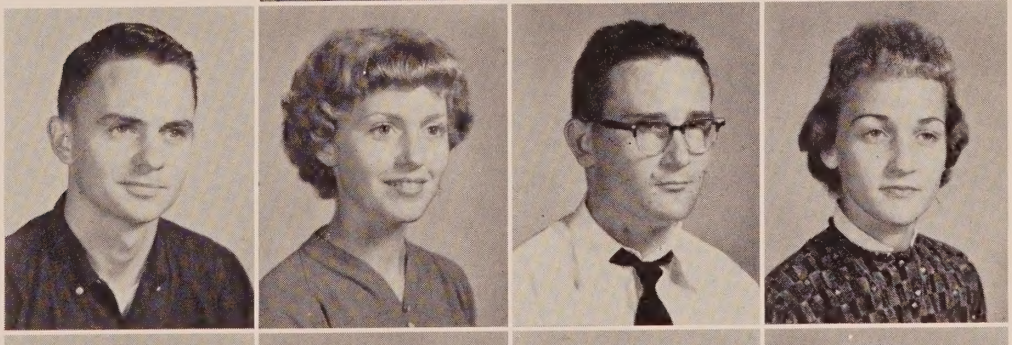
JUDY ANN HARRELL
BROWARD PADGETT
KATHRYN SHEFFIELD
HARRY MARSHALL



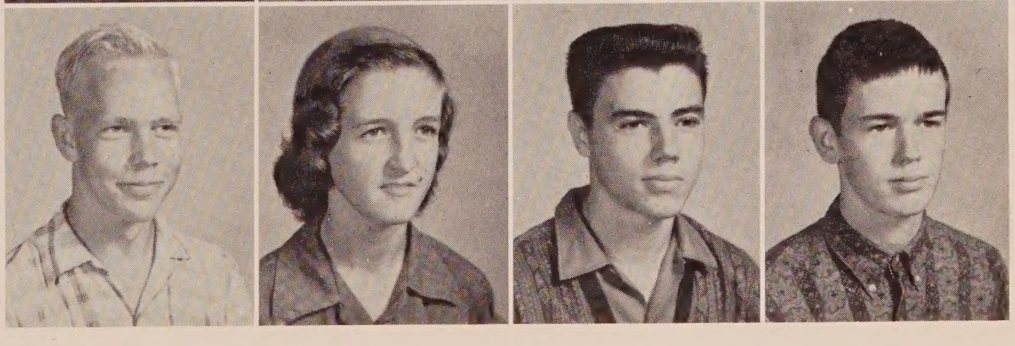
PAT CROSBY
WAYLON HARRIS
KAREN MILLER



BECKY STAMPLEY
DALTON SHEFFIELD
JEAN WALKER

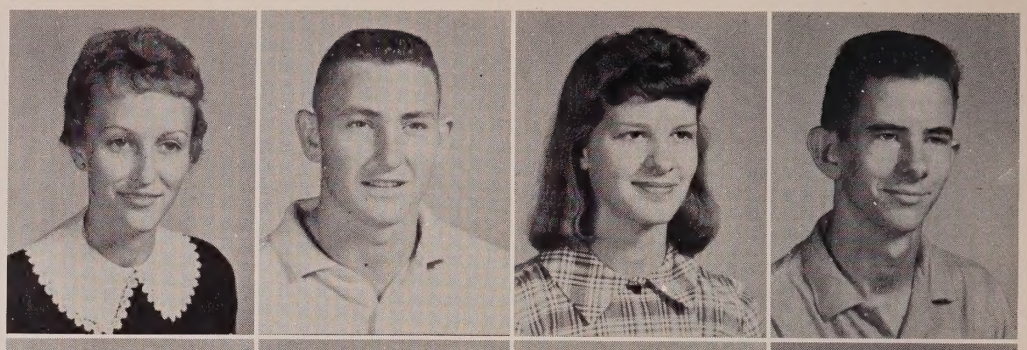


GEORGE WEEKLY
CLAUDINE DUNN
MILDREGE CARROLL
CAROLYN LAND



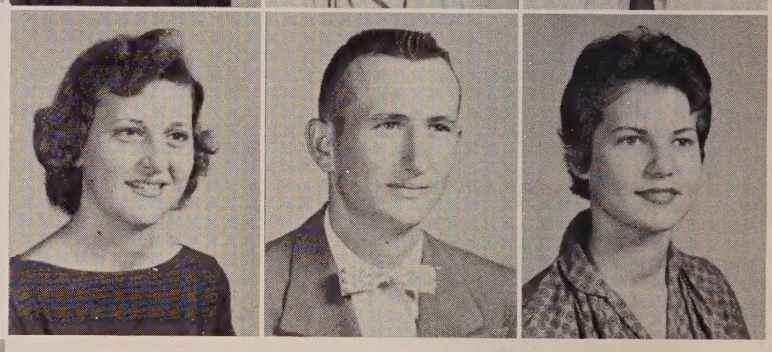
KENNETH FINCH
SARAH SMITH
HENRY RUSS
TYRONE MAY

MARY ELIZABETH DIEHL
WINFORD WHITE
RUTH WILLIAMS
JOE WELLS

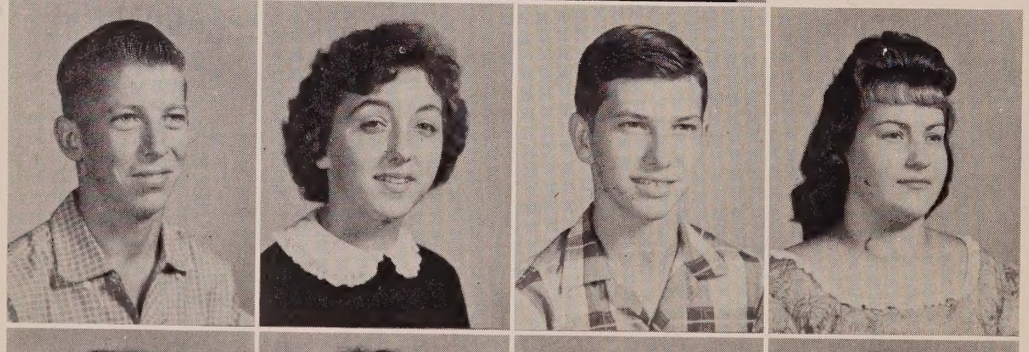


CURTIS PORTER
ADELL COOK
SCARLETT COOK
CHARLES BROCK

ARLENE SMOTHERS
TOMMY HARRELL
CAROL MERCER



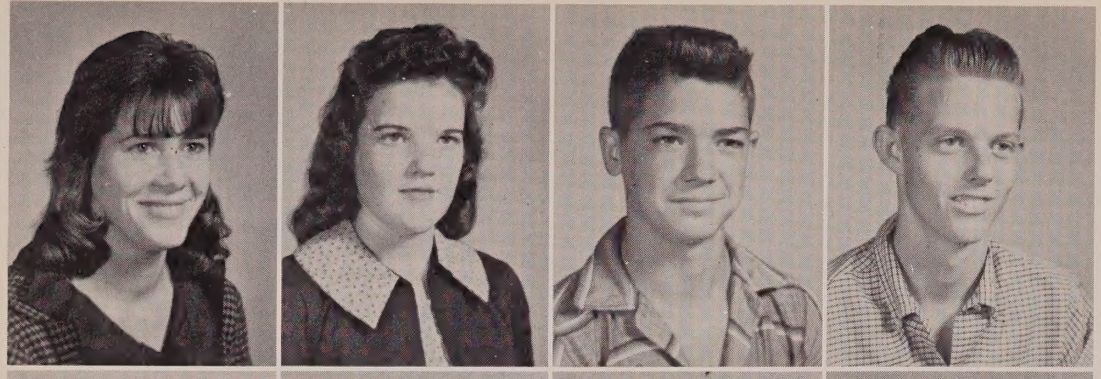
CHARLES FAISON
LUNELL GRANTHAM
CORENE HICKS



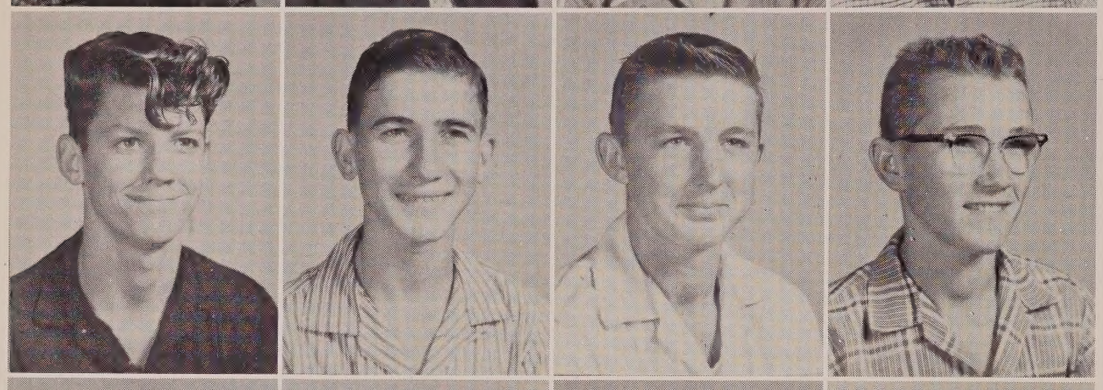
JAMES TUTTON
ROMONA SANDERS
THOMAS COOK
BARBARA HALL

SANDRA HIGHTOWER
MURIEL WELLS
GRACE BROCK
DIANNE ROCHE

sophomores



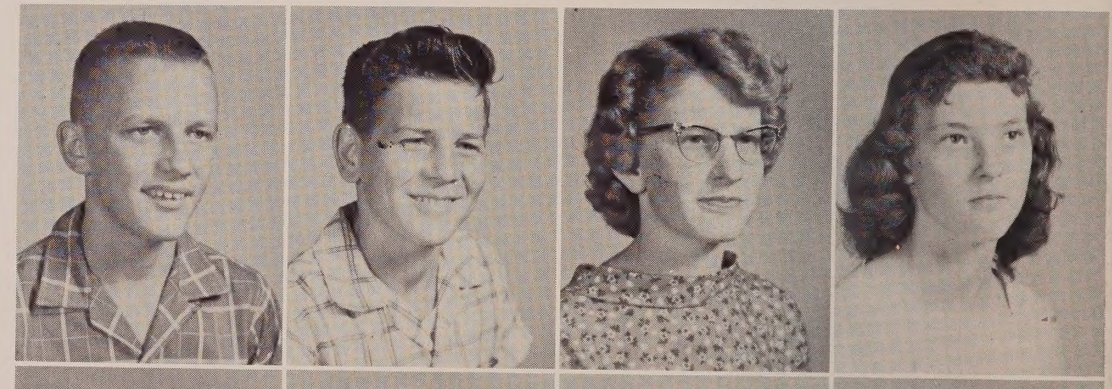
Linda Revis
Carol Ann Hicks
Morris Dixon
N. B. Pettis



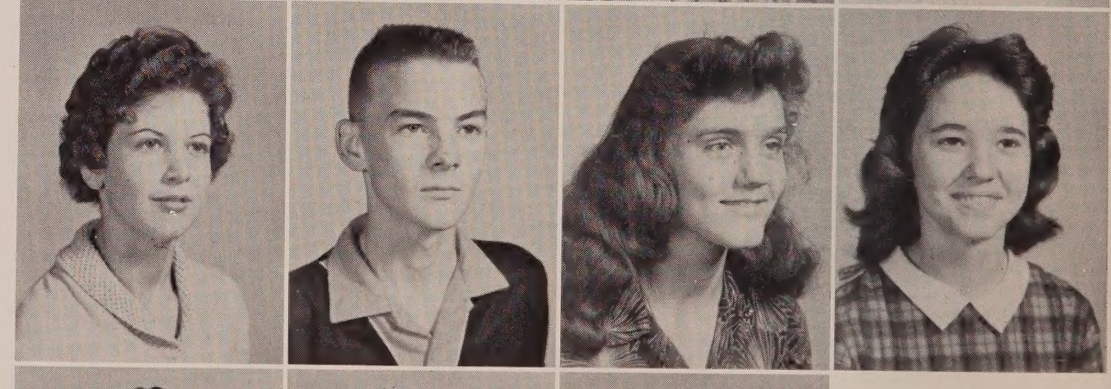
H. L. Brown
Newton Brock
Leslie Cook
Mack Blue

Reggie Reddick
Dale Taylor
Barbara Morrell
Ferrell Brock

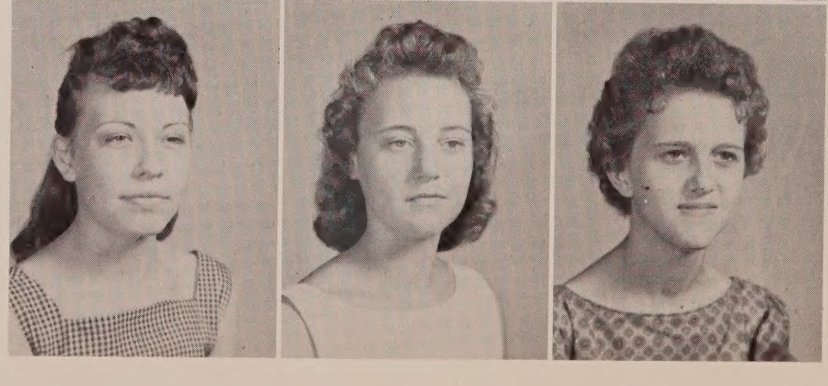
Larry Hewett
Alchus Lee
Gwen Syfrett
Mary Squires



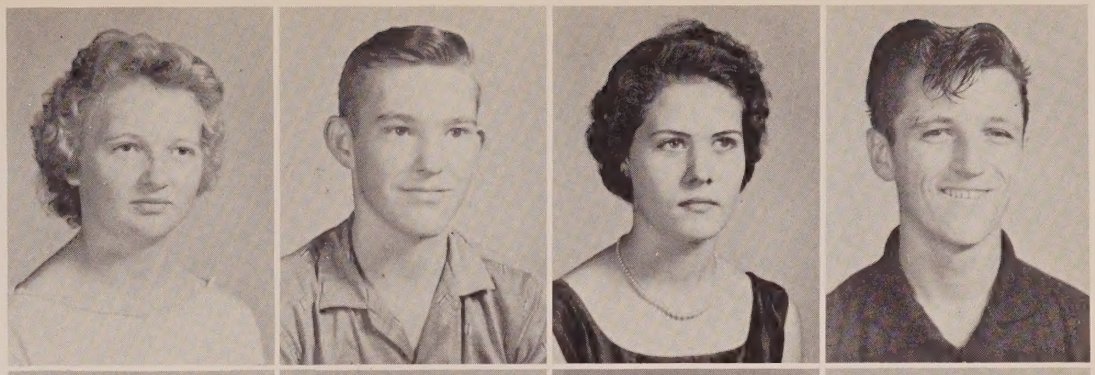
Frances Shaw
Jerry Kendrick
Christine Collins
Linda Shiver



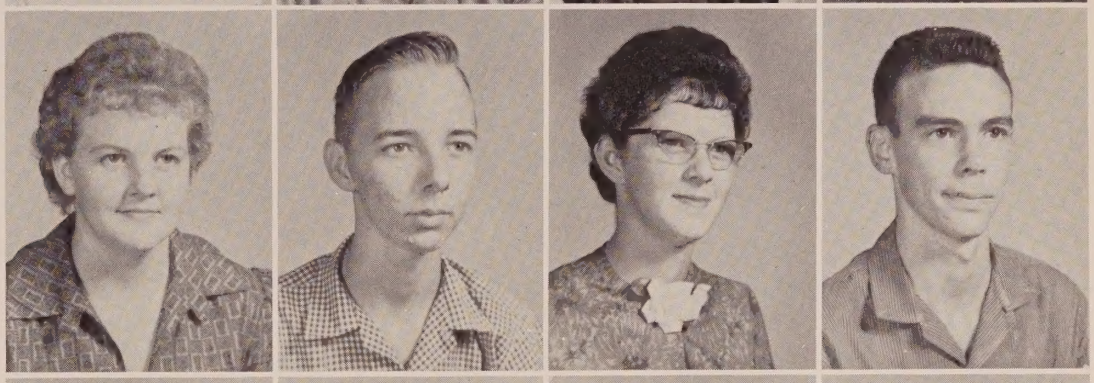
Shirley Reno
Edell Pitts
Gloria Raley



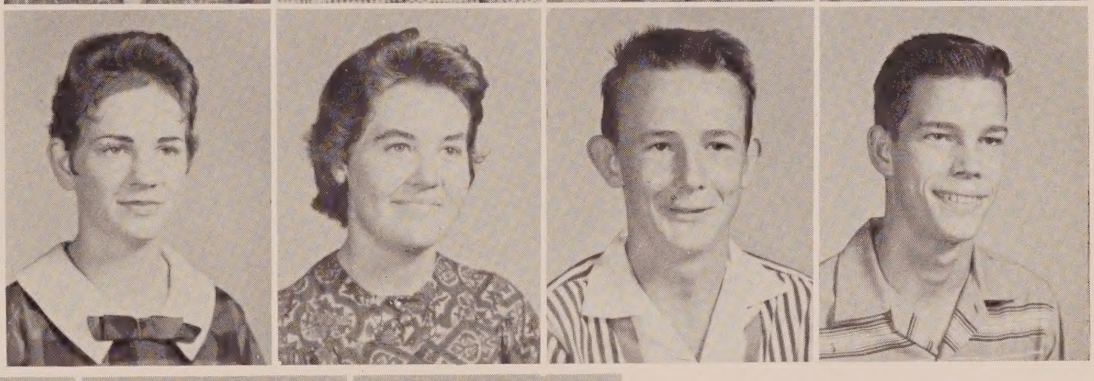
Edna Bruner
Donnell Barfield
Barbara Harrell
Charles Gilley

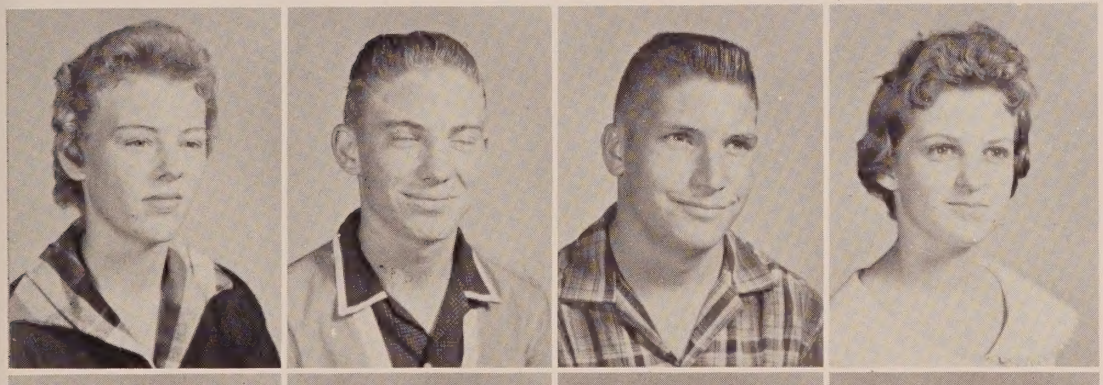


Barbara Cook
Bob Bush
Angia Hinson
W. A. Rogers



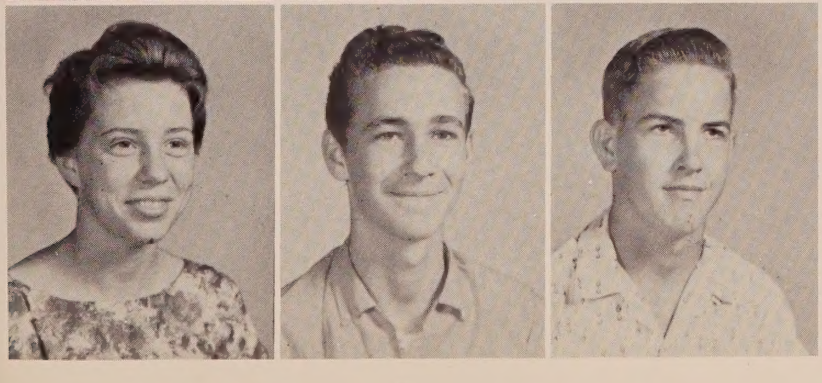
Flora Smith
Ouida Johnson
Melvin Carroll
Farrell Taylor



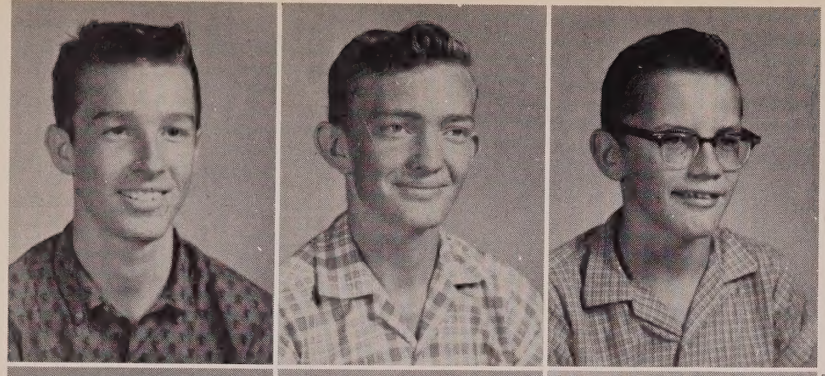


Pat McCarthy
Dewey Worley
George Messer
Norma Felder

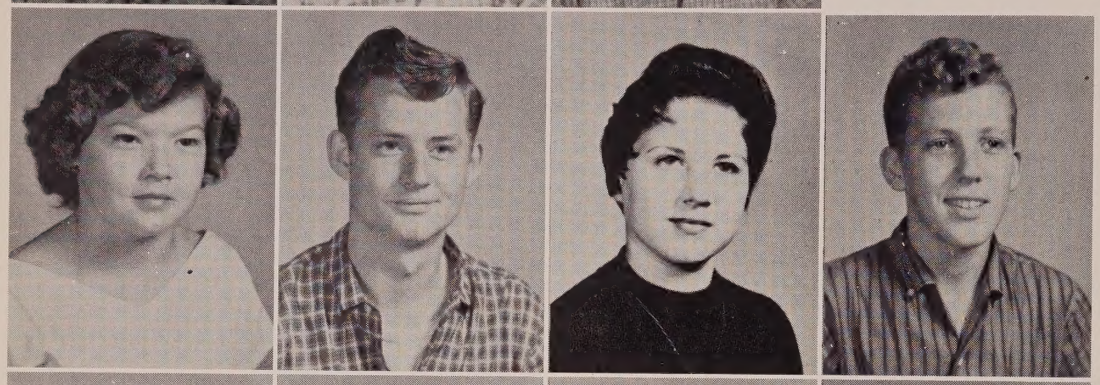
Loyal Jones
Charles Walker
Betty Stiller
Ernest Pippen



Loretta Williams
Benny Hayes
Kenneth Cook

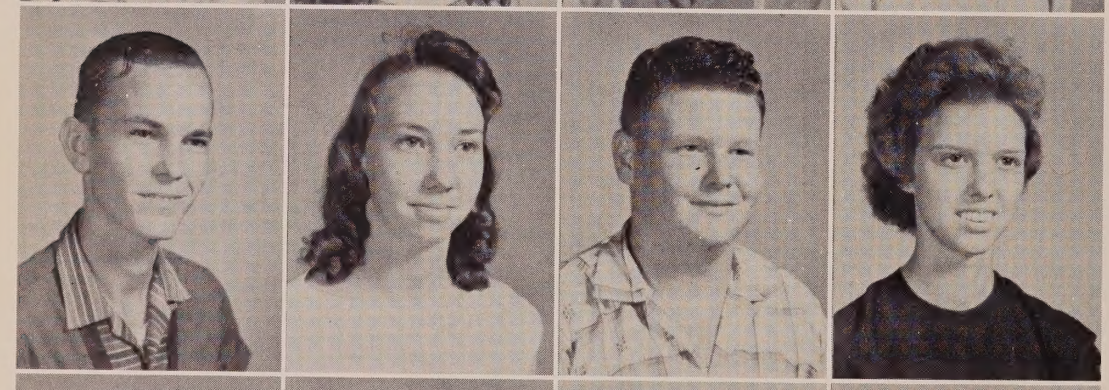


Allen Kelly
W. T. Pettis
Garry Hewett

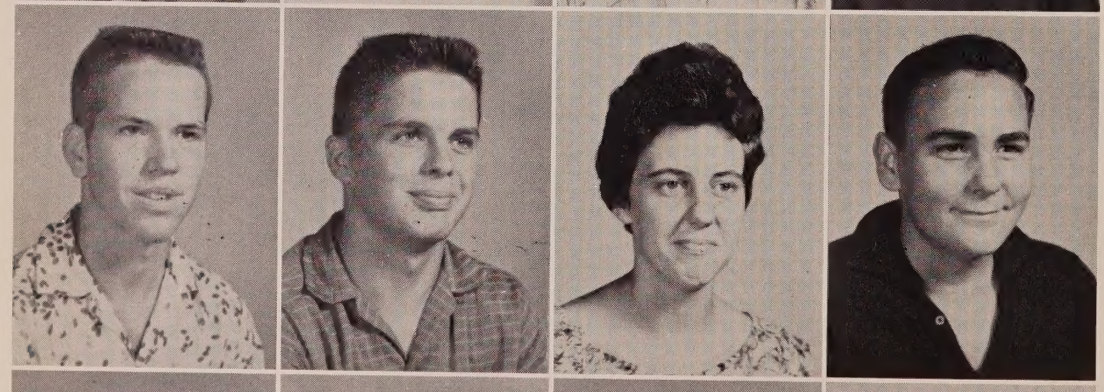


Jeanette Hammock
Mel Harcus
Marcia Sapp
Donald Hewett

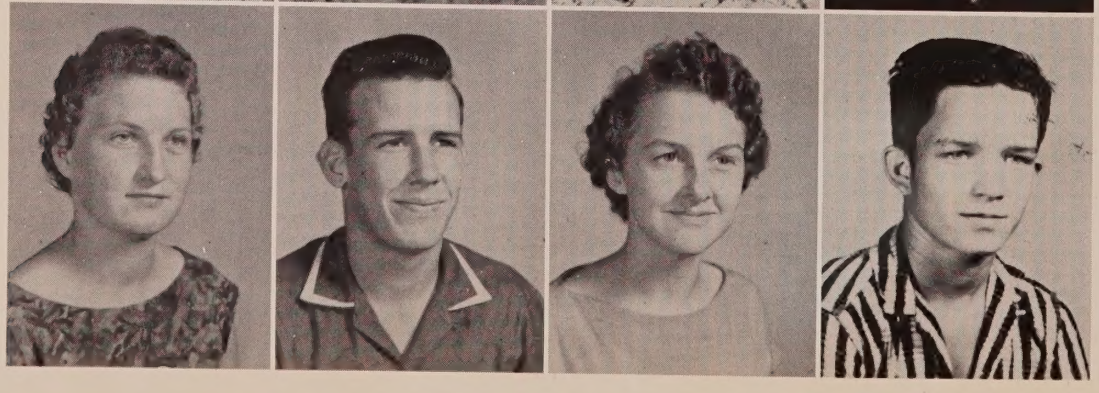
Lorine Strickland
Pat Marshall
Willis Hagan
Mary Neta McDade



Don Finch
Susan Evans
William Hammock
Etta Clark



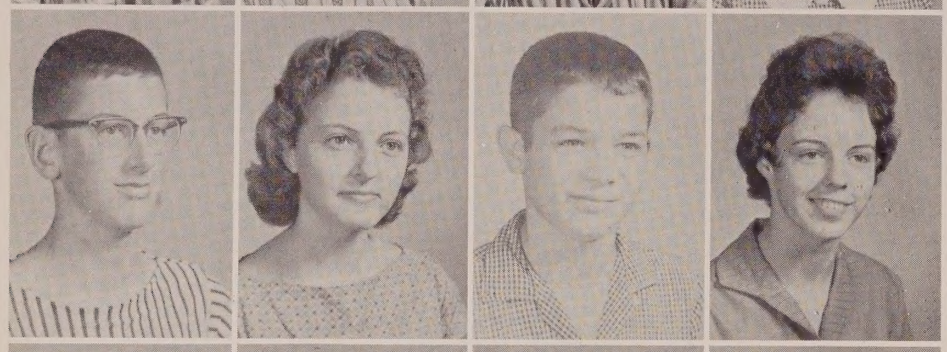
Saxton Raines
Ronald Brock
Rita Shipes
Walton McWilliams



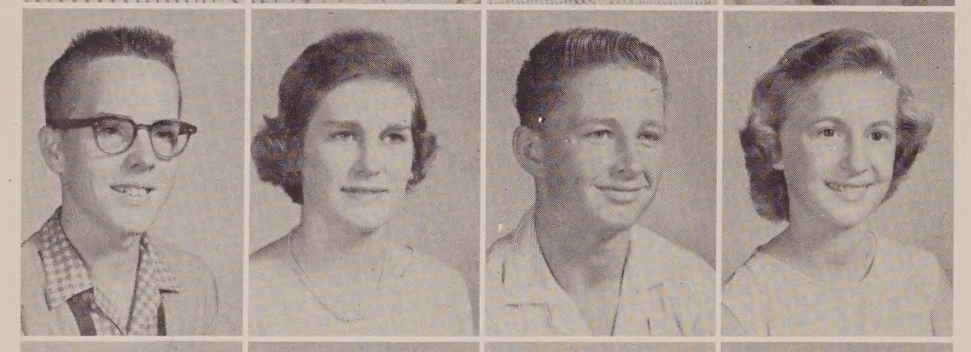
Betty Haddock
Wesley Anderson
Linda Carol Pippin
Lamar Faison

freshmen

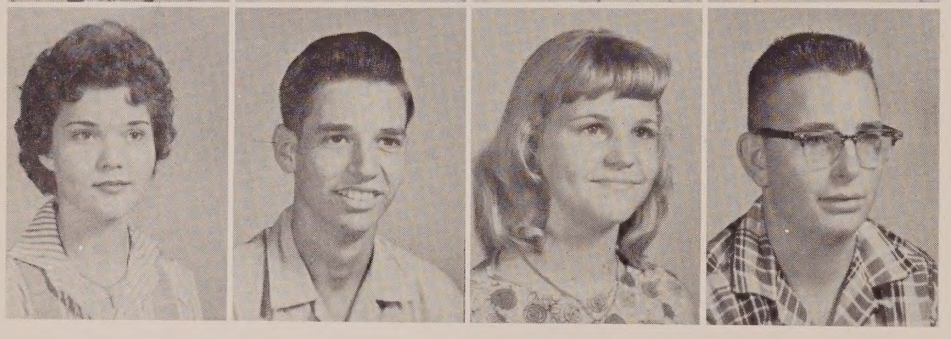
Verlon Harris
Carolyn Brewer
Clyde Armstrong
Shirley Gainey



Ernie Brock
Margaret Perkins
Larry Pippen
Gloria Peacock

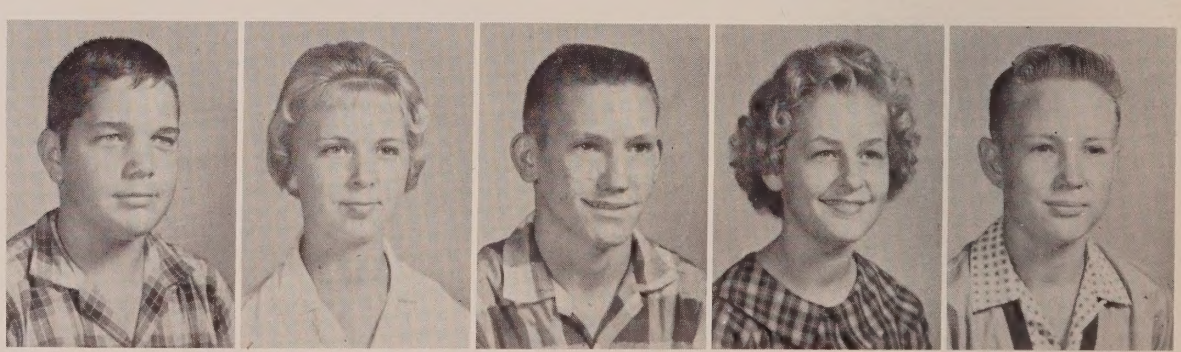


William Raines
Linda Waller
Adron Coatney
Yvonne Strickland



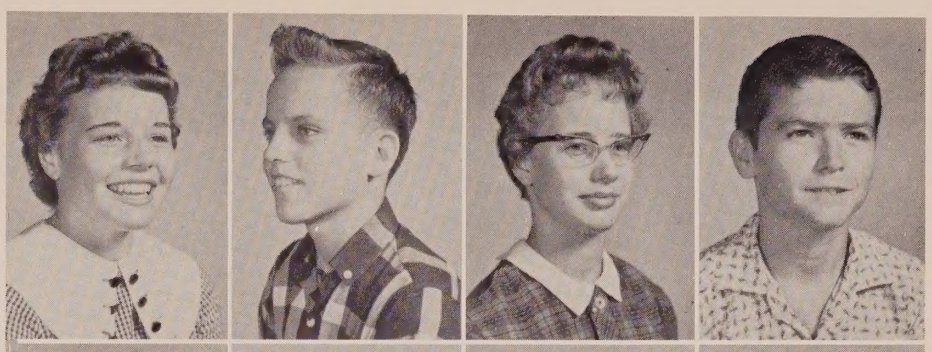
Nancy Kelly
Leonard Sweezy
Gwen Finch
Dannie Kolmetz

Elton Russ
Lana Coatney
H. T. Waller
Gail Wells
Willie Taylor

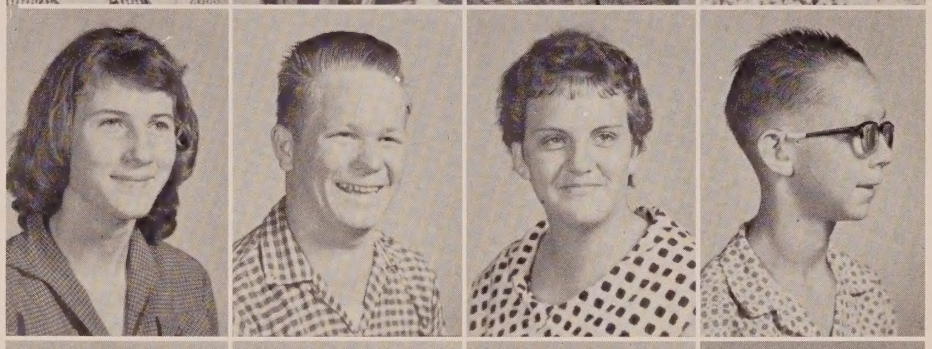


Linda Ward
Earl Cook
Judy Brock
Earl Owens
Linda White

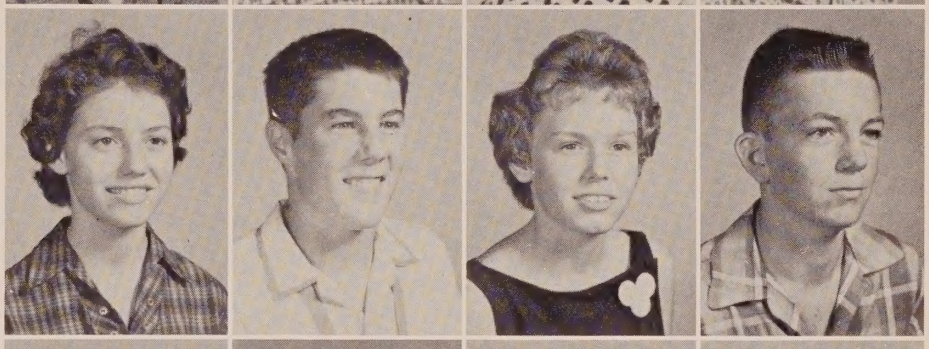
Charlotte Johnson
Richard Stephens
Frankie Brock
Johnnie Skipper



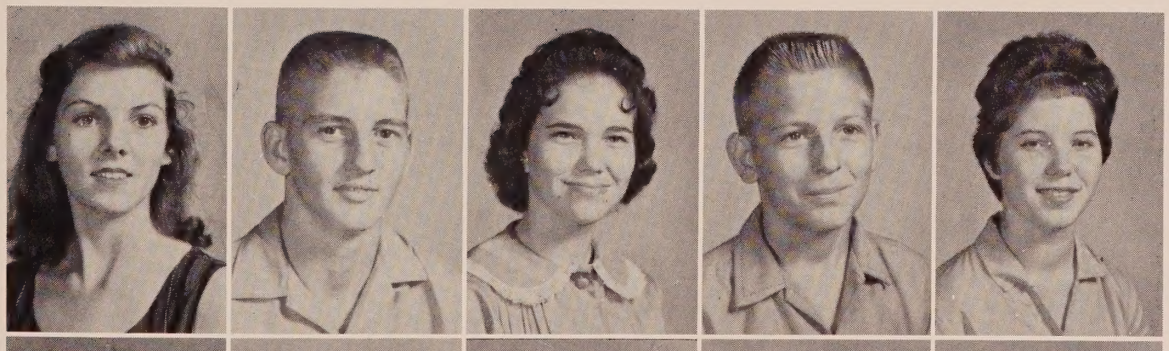
Wanda Brock
James Peters
Joyce Haddock
Linzey Faison



Barbara Blair
Richard Gilmore
Dianne Brock
Gordon Hood



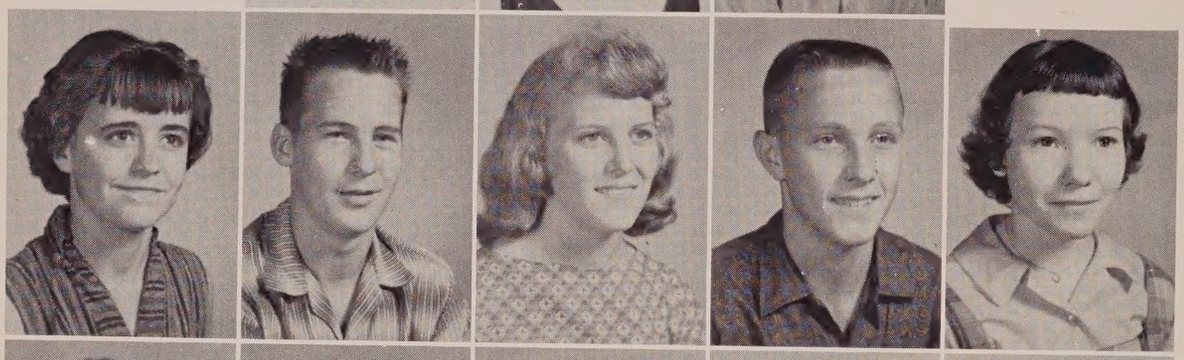
Shirley Cota
Bob Hightower
Bobbie Johnson
George Taylor



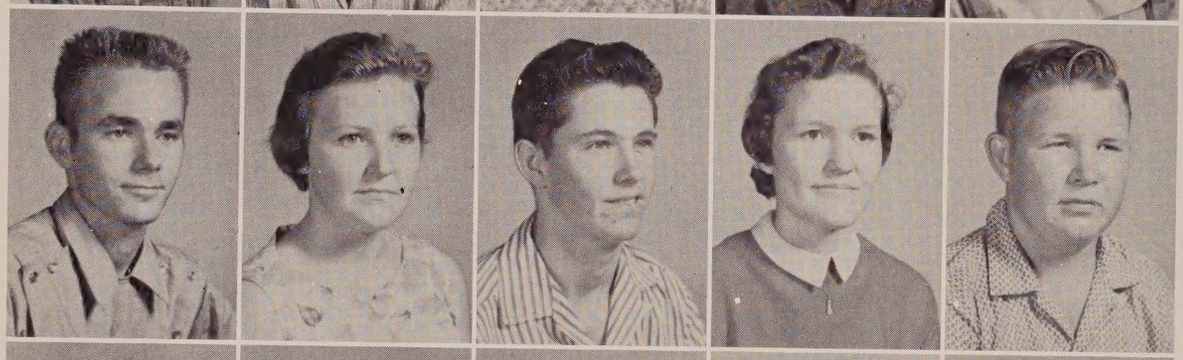
Alline Morris
John Bush
Mary Sue Shores
Joseph Moore
Rosilee Walker

Sarah Porter
Lemuel Smith
Norma Brock
Nathan Bodie
Kathryn Ellis

Joe Lee Smothers
Pat Armstrong
Alto Carroll

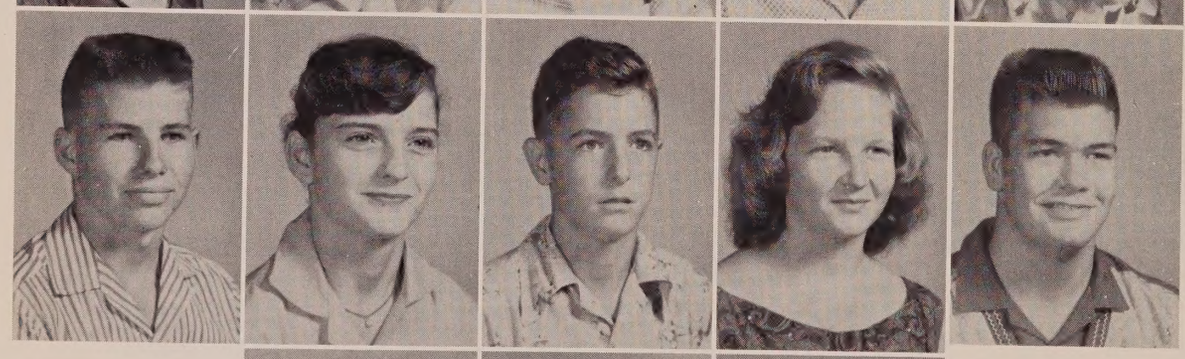


Minervia Pettis
Orvis Morrell
Frances Brewer
Ernest Morrell
Georgianne Bonner



Mike Strickland
Janice White
Tommy Fussell
Mary Nell Collins
John Elton Worthington

Audrey Hudson
Ancil Bryant
Florine Strickland
James Boyette
Phala Worthington



Jimmy Pennington
Linda Worley
Jerry Leavins
Georgia McAdams
John Earl Ferguson

James Johns
Yvonne Vaughn
Daniel Wallace

guess who

TOP, left to right: Margaret Bruner, Jr. Ferguson, Charlaine Cook, Jackie Roche, Wanda Henderson, Malvina Haney.

Verla Mae Hendrix, Betty Sue Diehl, Wanda Henderson, Carol Roberts, Yvette Strickland, Nelda Hughes, Doyle Carter.

Joan Dykes, Joyce Levins, Cathren Whitfield, Kathryn Russ, Arrey Burch, Cynthia Sleezer, Roy Land.

The class of '60 as first grade; Class of '60.

senior high favorites

Favorites of the 12th grade are
Larry Bruner and Shirley Owens.

Joe Ferol and Muriel Wells
are Junior favorites.

10th grade favorites are
Ronnie Brock and Ouida Johnson.

junior high

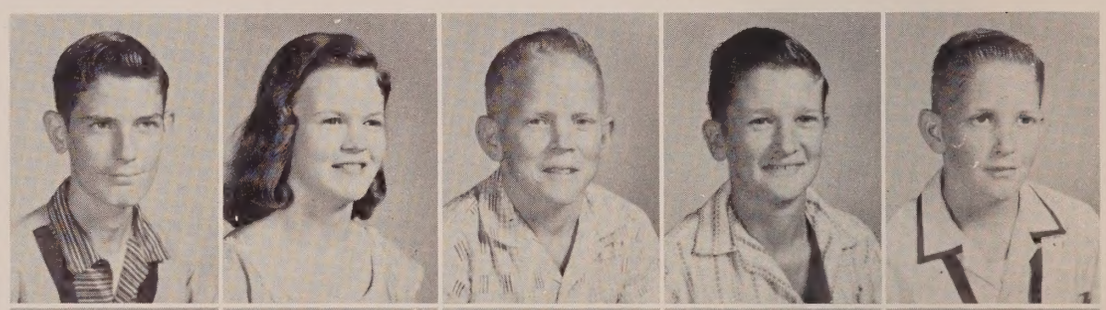
eighth grade

Murray Shipes
Willard Helms

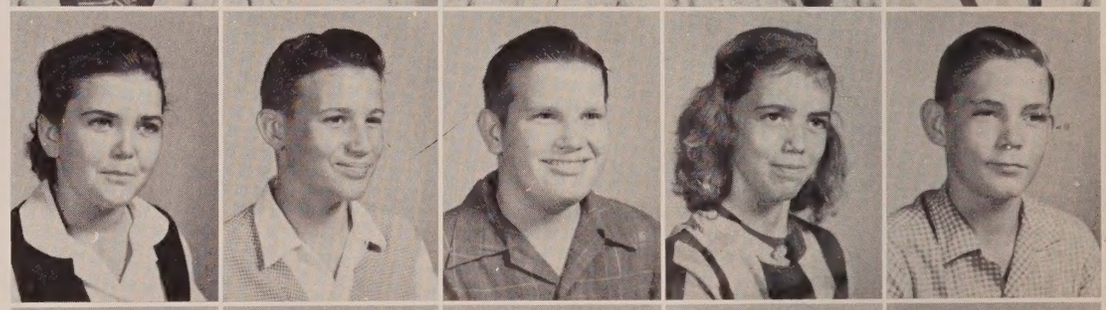
Shelia Cook
Joel Wells
Wilma Burke
Noel Tiller
Joseph Connell

Martha Taylor
Joseph Pippin Jr.
Josephine Tutton
Kenneth Dykes
Janice Tyre

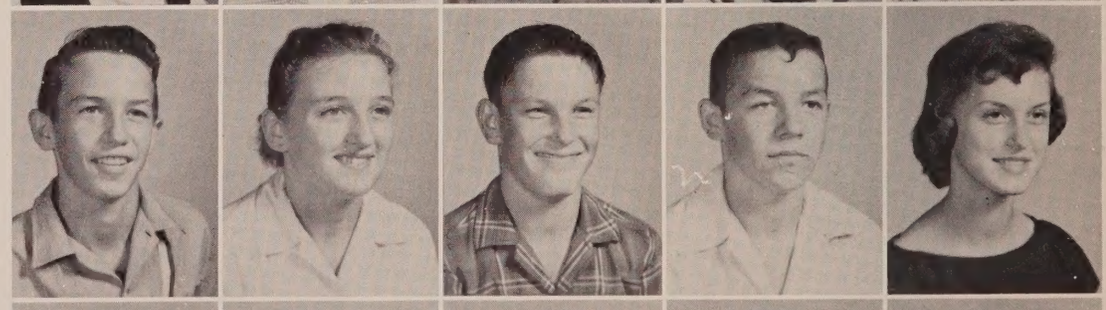
Earl Kirkland
Janice Waller
Robert Boyette
Roy Anderson
Edward Cook



Bessie Mae Yates
Drexel Harris
Daryl Ray Armes
Hazel Leavins
Daniel Stiller

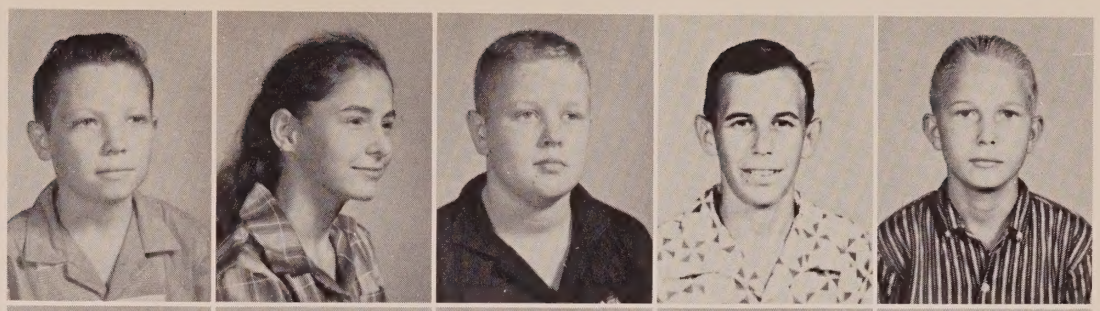


Charles May
Ella Sentman
Donald Cook
Herbert Dykes
Brigitte Laine



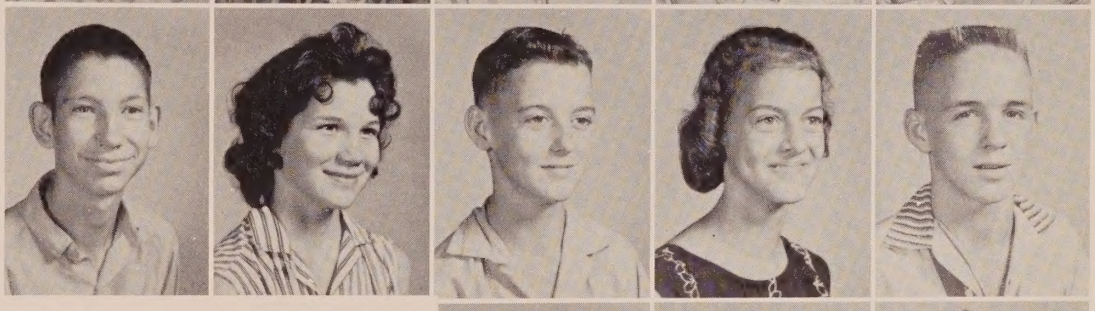
Billy Ray Revis
Claud Pettis
Margaret Haney
Billy Spiers
Bobby Thames

Marvin Reno
Judy McWilliams
Daryl Owens
Preston McCullough
Lewis Street

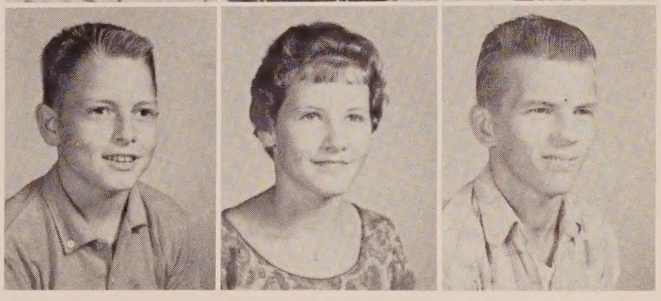


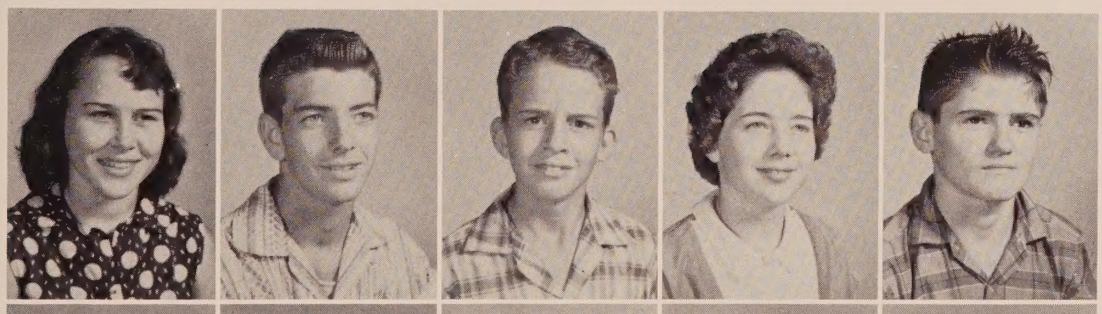
Hilma Burke
George Dietz
Paulette Marlowe
Hayward Brock
Glenda Worley

Jessie Foster
Veronica Lee
Tom Brock
Betty Pippin
Wallace Hammond

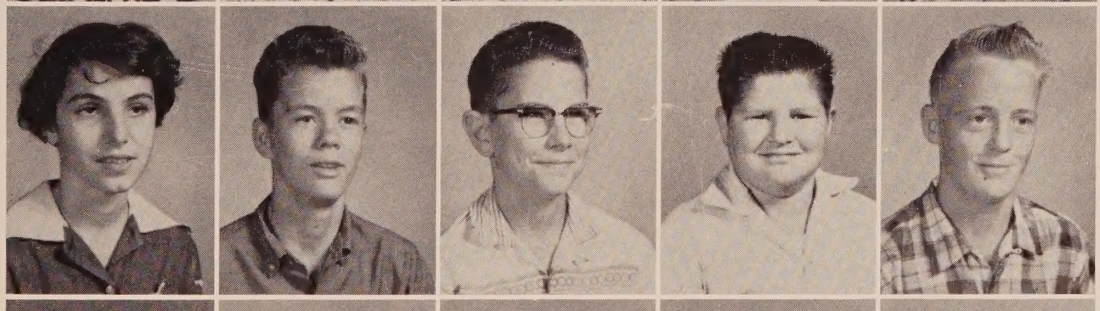


Don Galloway
Janice Brock
Jimmy Cook





Betty Motley
Charles Kelly
David Eberle
Patricia Sapp
Glenn Adkins



Darlene Caruso
Windle Helms
Bob Wells
Charles Simmons
Mike Riley

Sue Cook
Lamar Raley
Gloria Weeks
Charles Cook
Alton Morrell

seventh grade

James Pettis
Lunell Cook
Herbert Haddock
Frankie Marshall

Henry Tucker
Cheryl Weaver
Marcus Harrell
Lillian Cook

Elmo Mallory
Virginia Morrell
Dwight Perkins
Rosetta Harris

Kenneth Marlowe
Sue Bush
Ray Finch
Minnie McCullough

Roy Chestnut
Rachel Foster
Elbie Morrell
Mary Ruth Hall

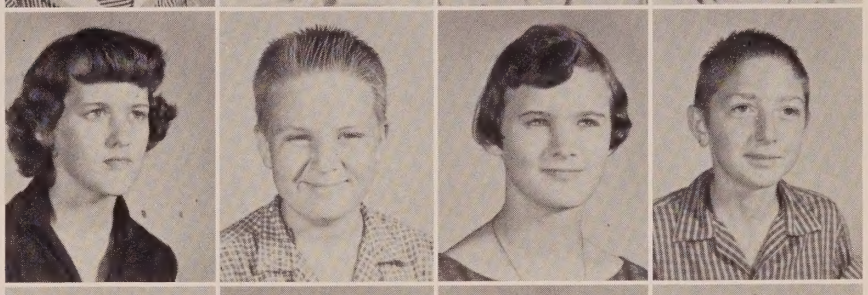
Edward Strickland
Ezell Burch
Larry Waller
Olivia Hammock

Keith Syfrett
Martha Dixon
Walter Cook
Jo Ann Hayes

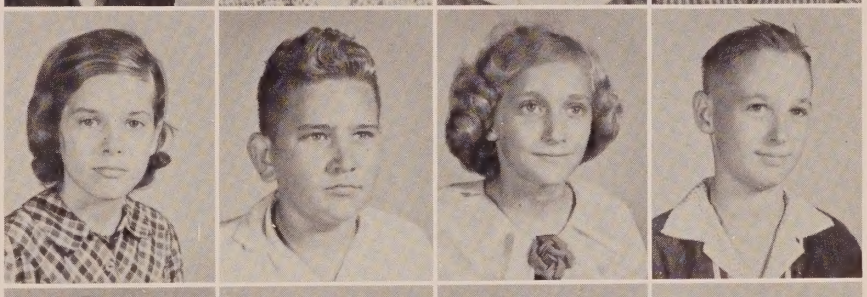
Bill Bruner
Jackie Hall
Marvin Martin
Sarah Harrell

Judy Roberts
Kenneth White
Helen Shores
Truman Marlowe

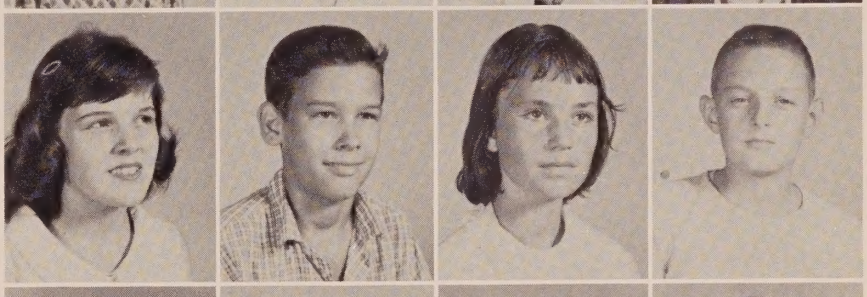
Jane Brock
Jimmy Coatney
Joyce Sirmon
Curtis Thompson



Barbara Pitts
John Porter
Marva Nell Worthington
Lavon Crawford

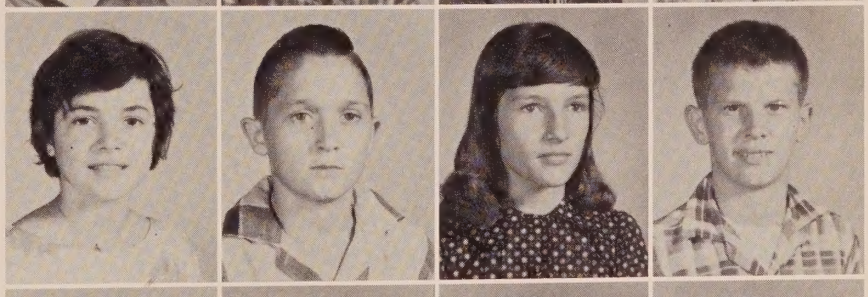


Margaret Nelson
Bill Page
Mary Parker
Jimmy Shores

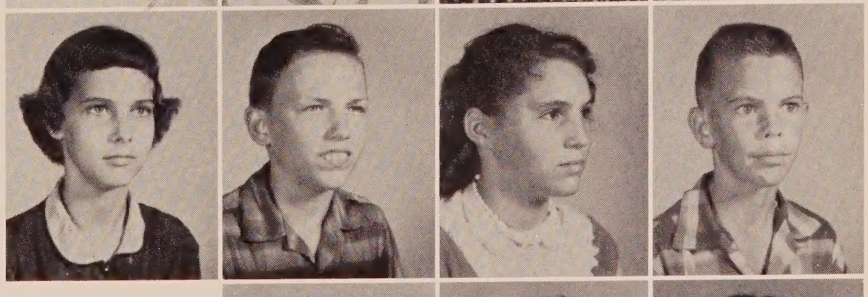


Rhonda Dalton
Dickie Stampley
Janis McDade
Carl Hughes

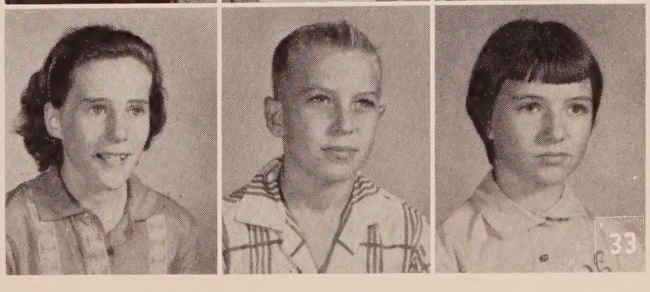
Jennifer Pippen
Jerry Brock
Mary Sue Simmons
Archie Cook



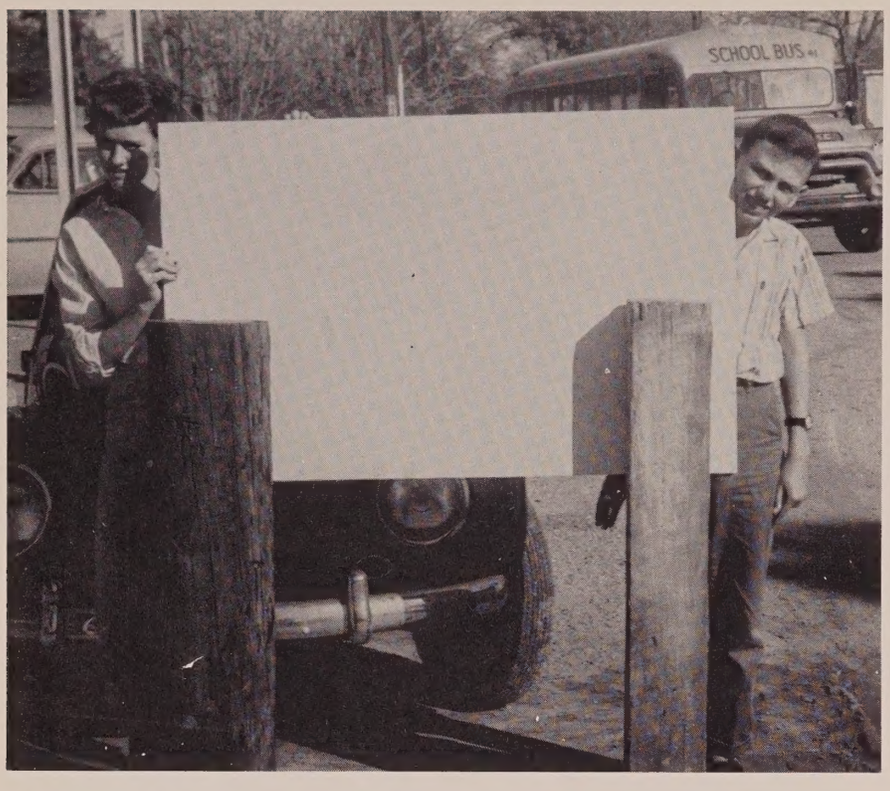
Nettie Collins
Tommy Cook
Kathryn Hammock
David Owens



Laura Ann Gilmore
Ronald Brock
Betty Bruner



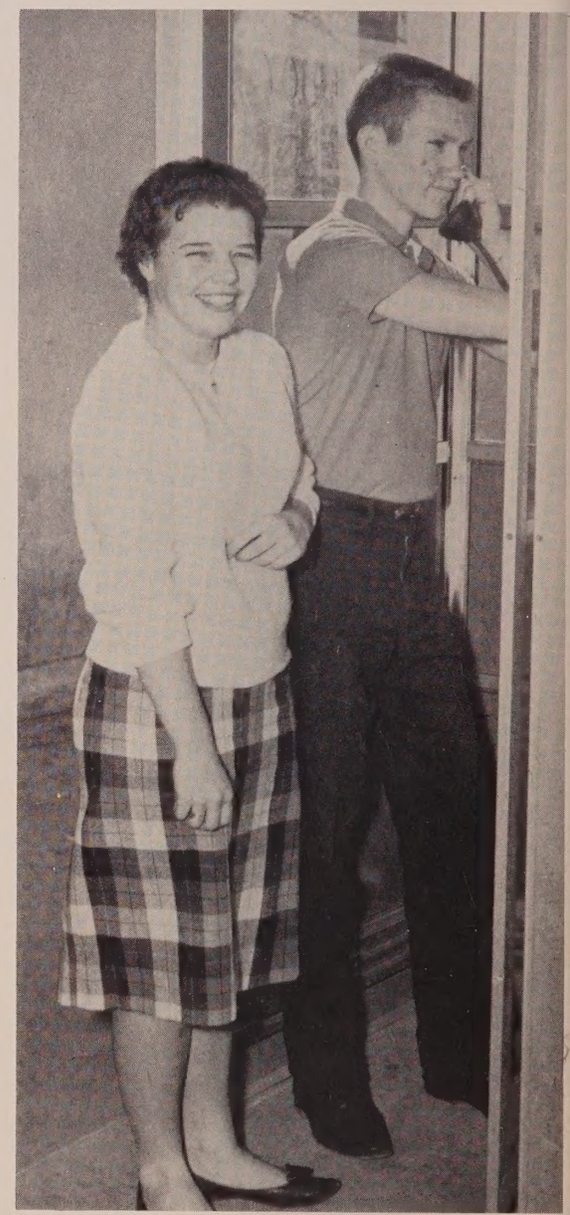
junior high favorites



Tommy Cook and Jane Brock were selected as favorites of the seventh grade.

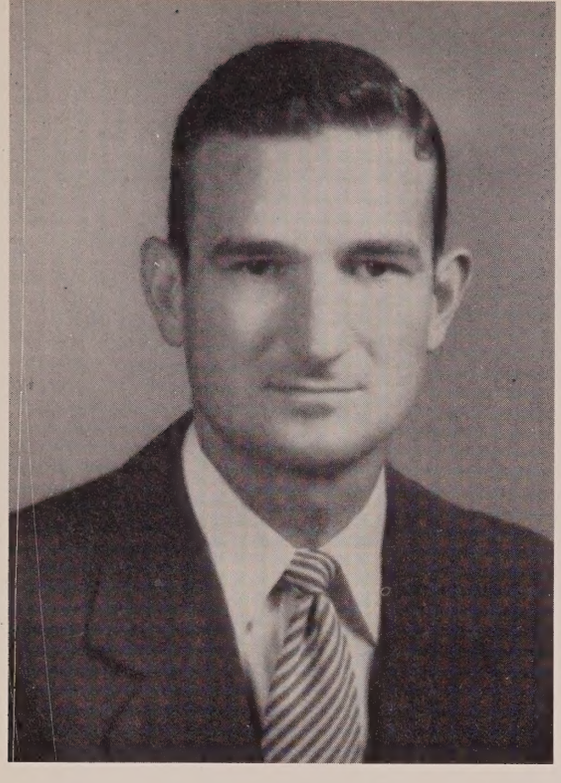
The eighth grade chose Drexel Harris and Janice Brock as their favorites.

Favorites from the junior high school were chosen by their classmates according to their popularity.

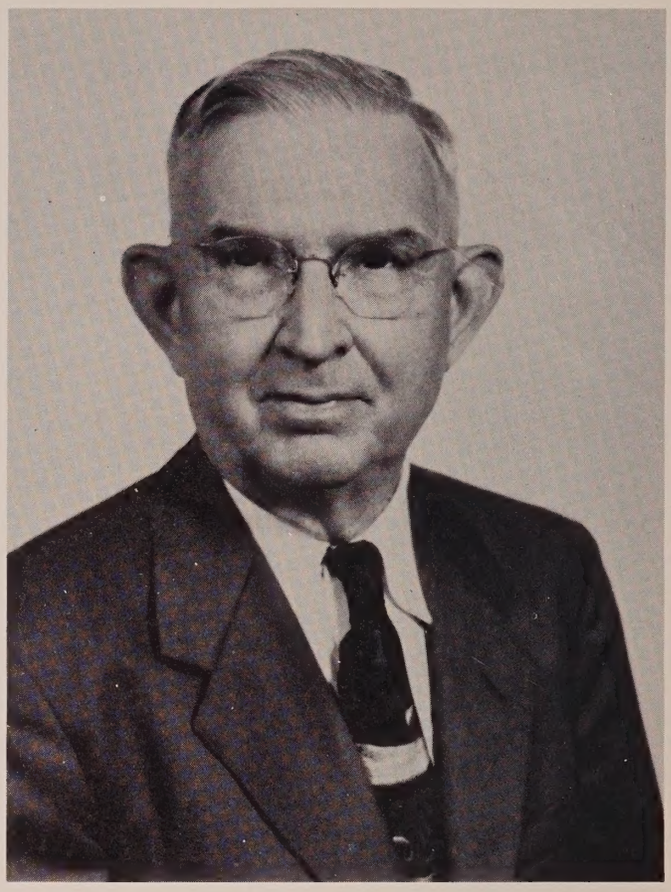


Charlotte Johnson and H. T. Waller were elected as favorites from the freshman class.

administration

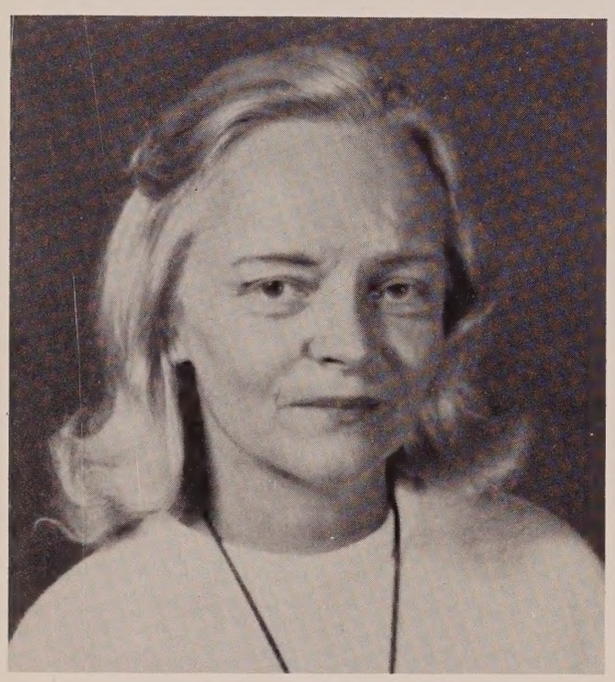


MR. W. T. McFATTER JR.
Superintendent of Public Instruction
Washington County

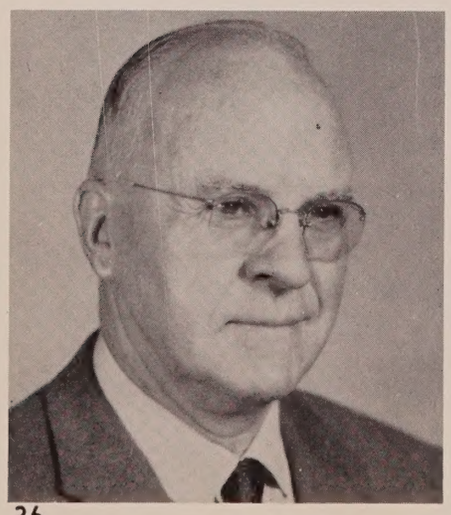


MR. J. A. DOUGLAS
Chairman School Board
Washington County

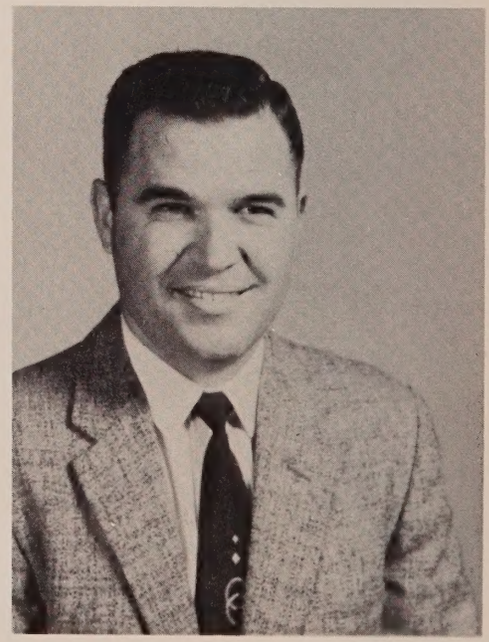
Other members of the Board are Mr. J. E. Haddock, Mr. W. L. Wood, Mr. C. H. Brock, and Mr. F. L. Nelson (not pictured).



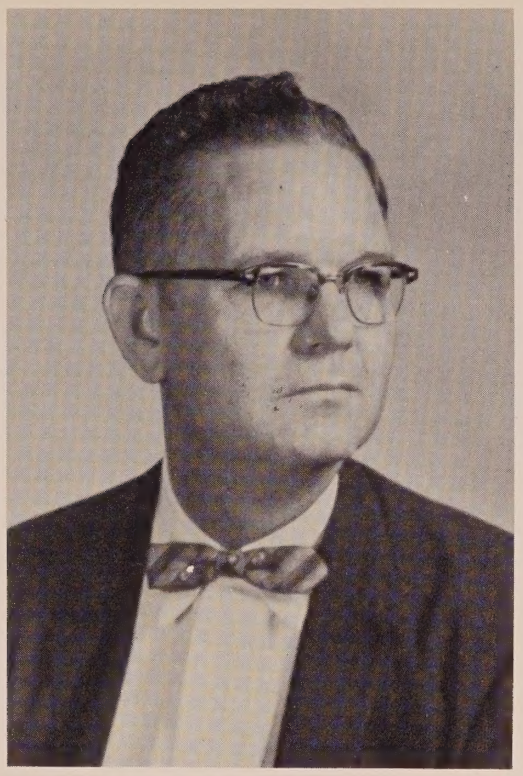
MRS. ALEENE FRANZ
Art Supervisor



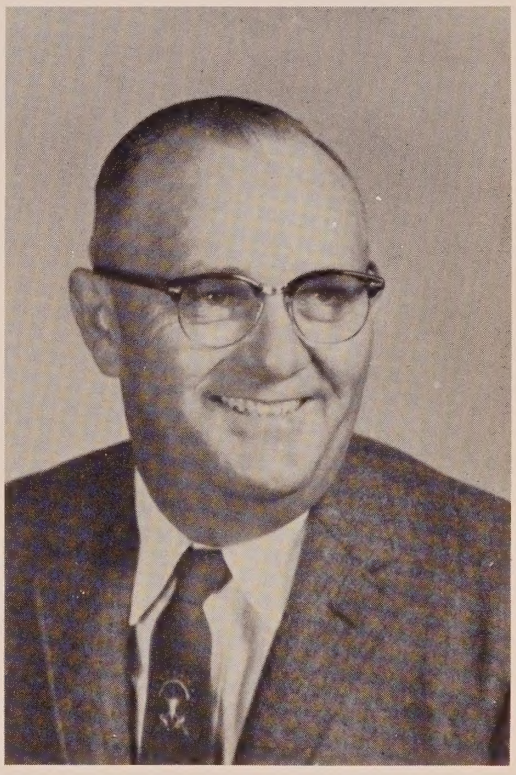
MR. H. R. PIERCE
General Supervisor



MR. LEON RICE
Coordinator
Special Education Services



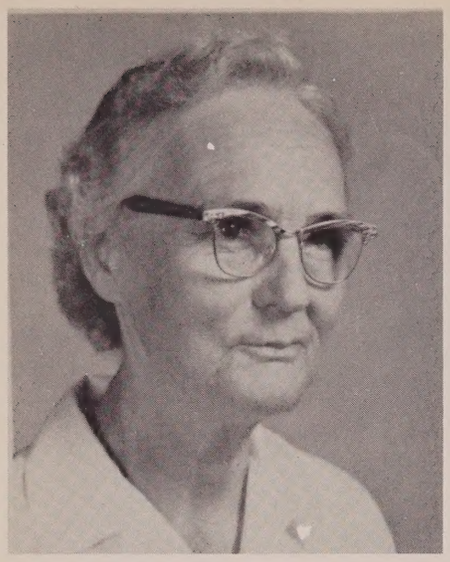
ARCHIE HUTCHISON
Principal
Florida State University
University of Florida



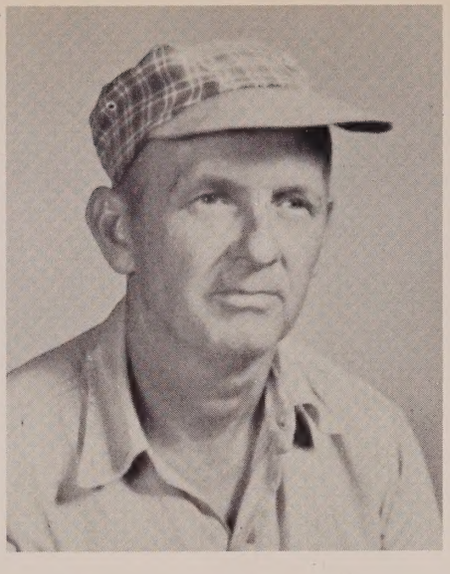
WILLIAM MOON
Guidance Director
American Problems
History
University of Florida
Auburn University
Troy State College

HOWARD BRUNER
Assistant Principal
Commercial Subjects
Physical Education
University of Florida

MARGIE BOYETTE
Office Secretary

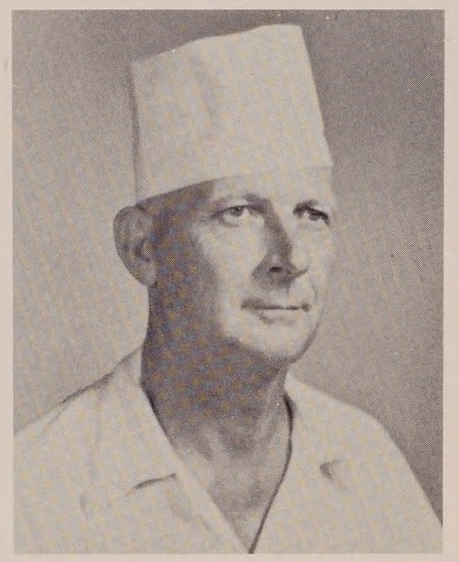


MRS. OUIDA MAY
Cafeteria

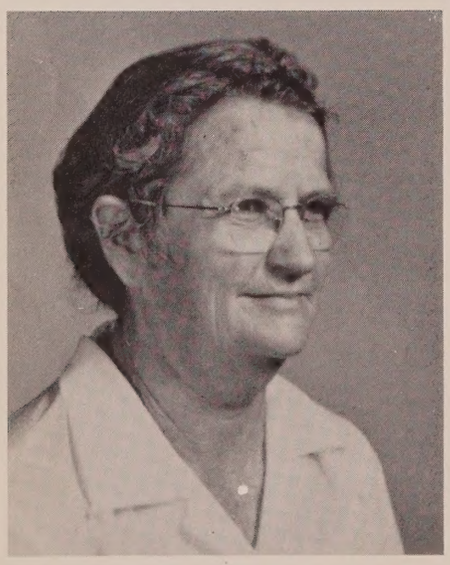


MR. MILTON HOWELL
School Janitor

MRS. PENNY SCOTT
Cafeteria

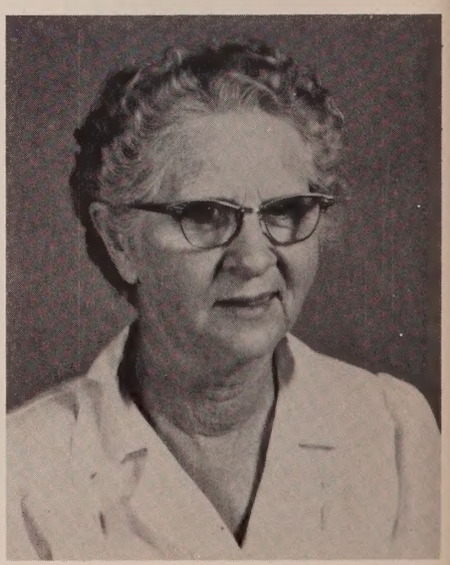


MR. JACK PERKINS
Manager of School Cafeteria



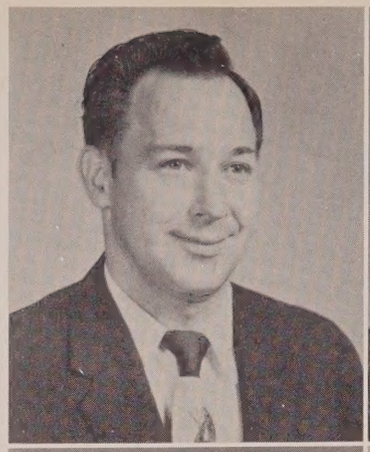
MRS. ADDIE HAMILTON
Cafeteria

MRS. PHILO DEITZ
Cafeteria



MRS. DEE ROCHE
Cafeteria

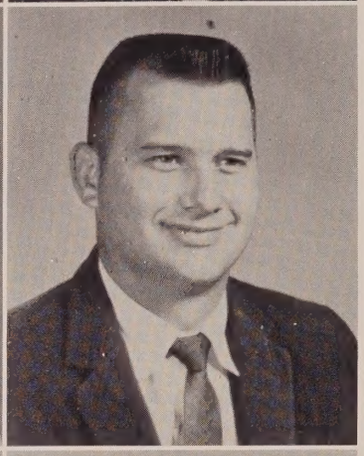
faculty



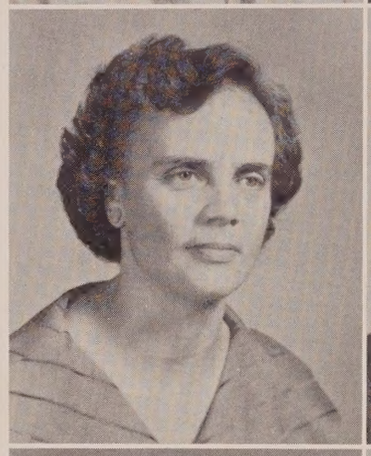
ERNEST W. BOONE
Music, Band
Troy State College

ANNIE REVA BEVERETT
Librarian
Troy State College
Florida State University

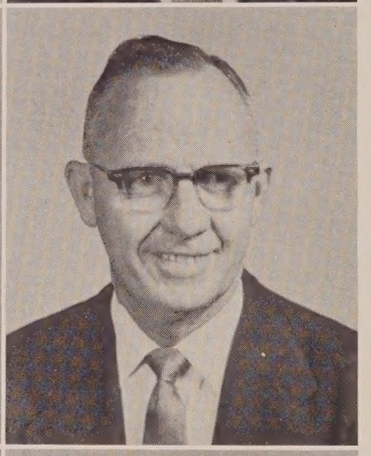
TOMMIE BRANNICK
English, Spanish, Geography
John Brown College, Colorado
University of Colorado
University of Idaho
University of Denver
Colorado State College of Education
Universidad Inter-Americana de Verano, Mexico
Columbia University



KELLY BROCK
Driver Education
Chipola Jr. College
Florida State University
Troy State College



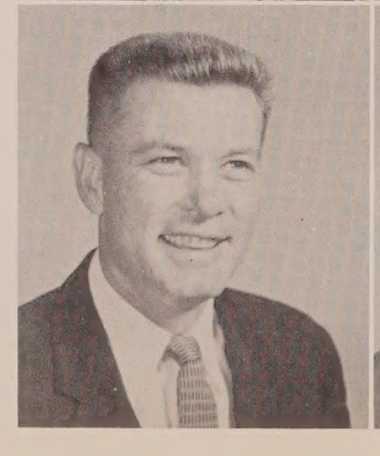
PAULINE R. COOK
Homemaking
Florida State College for Women



LEON R. COX
Algebra, Geometry
University of Florida

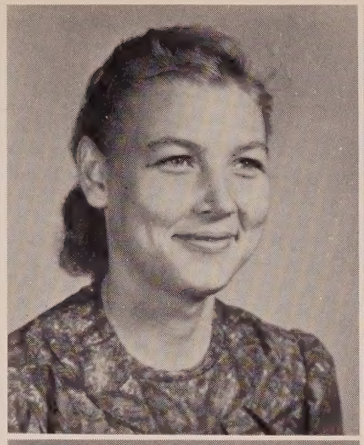
LOTTIE M. DYKES
English
Florida State College for Women
Florida State University
University of Florida

LILLIAN M. HIGHTOWER
English
Mississippi State College for Women
Florida State College for Women

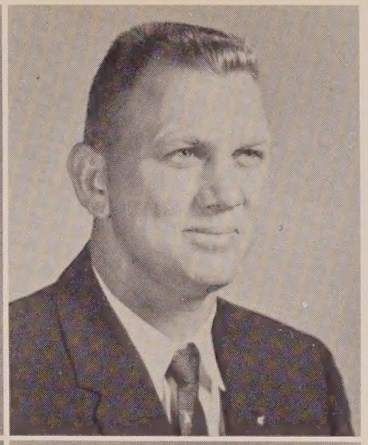


RAY A. HORNE
Science, Math
Florida State University

AROL HUDSON
Agriculture
University of Florida

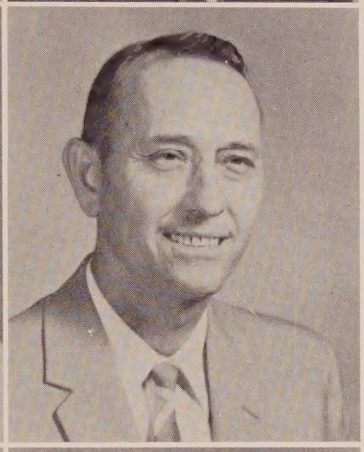


NELLIE MITCHELL
Girls' Physical Education
Livingston State College,
Alabama

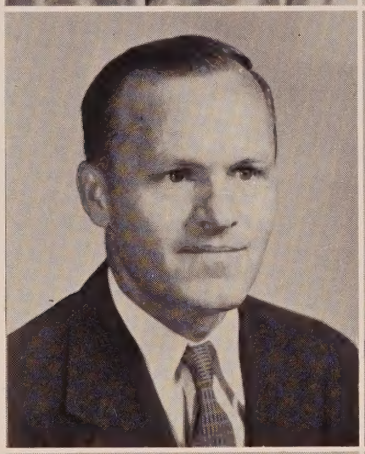


SAM MITCHELL
Coach
Livingston State College
George Peabody College,
Tennessee

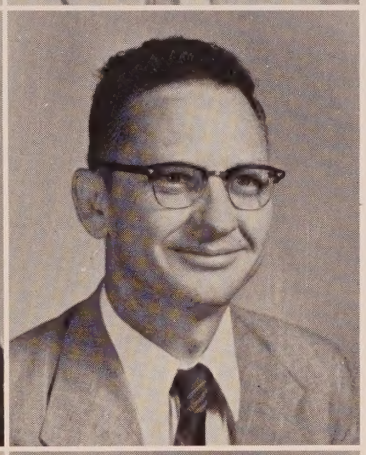
DORIS NEWSOM
Mathematics, Science
Taylor University, Indiana



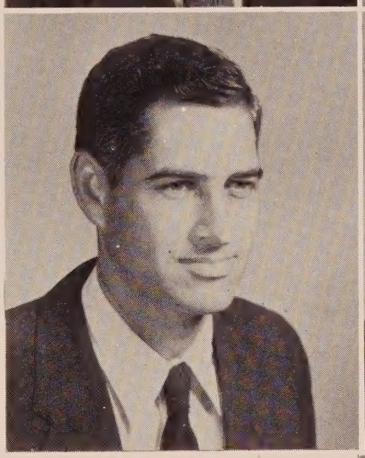
I.M. ROCHE
Typing, Shorthand
University of Florida



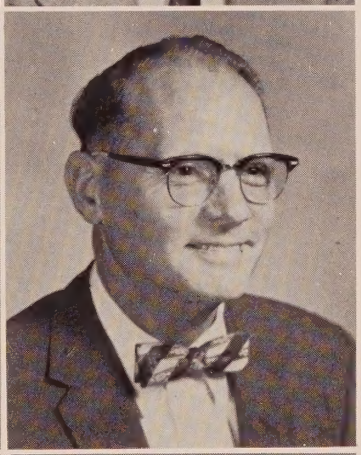
JAMES F. RUSS Jr.
Jr. High Math, Social
Studies
Chipola Jr. College
Florida State University



STEPHEN B. SIMMONS
Biology, Physics, Science
Florida State University
University of Florida
Alabama College
Auburn, Alabama



CHARLES TOBIAS Jr.
Elementary Music, Glee
Club
Florida State University



RALPH E. UPTON
Civics, American History
Troy State Teachers Col-
lege
University of Alabama
Auburn, Alabama
Florida State University

OLLIE A. WELLS
English, Social Studies
Florida State University
Chipola Jr. College
University of Florida

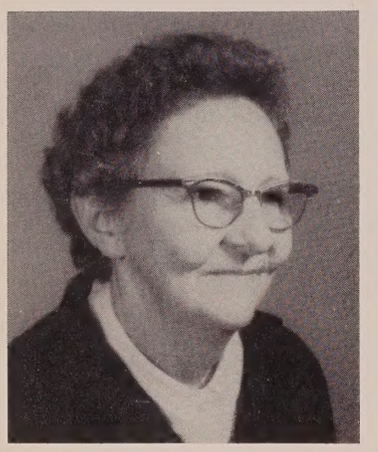
MARGARET G. SLEEZER
Macalester College
University of Minnesota
Florida State University

JANE SIMS
Grade 2
Brigham Young University, Utah

RUBYE ROGERS
Grade 6
Florida State University

LILLIAN F. MAY
Grade 2
Chipola Junior College
Florida State University

EDELLE T. BROCK
Grade 5
University of Florida
Florida State University
Florida State College for Women



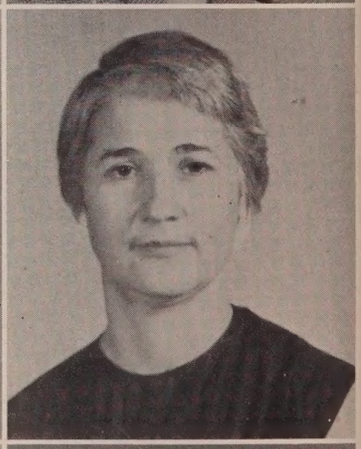
LORETTA BUSH
Grade 1
Florida State University

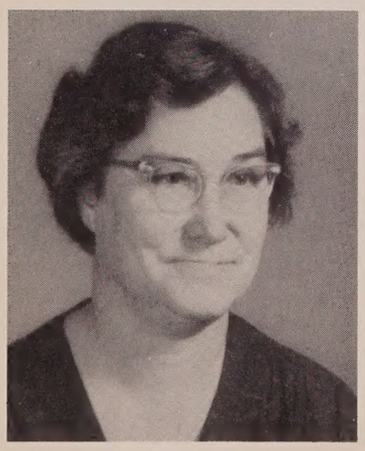
LOTTIE E. SAPP
Grade 4
Florida State University

ENID T. RUSS
Grade 4
Florida State University

GLADYS R. PARRISH
Grade 3
University of Florida

BESSIE ALMA PIPPEN
Grade 5
Livingston State
Teachers College
Florida State
University

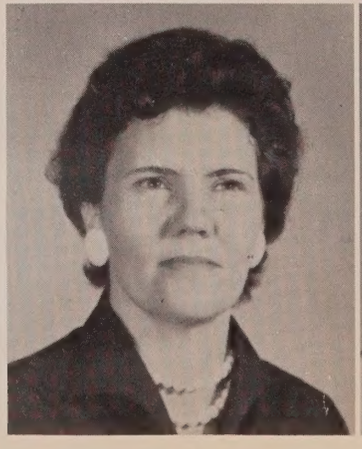




ESSIE B. TOOLE
Grade 1
Florida State University

OLLIE HUTCHISON
Grade 6
Huntington College
Florida State University

EXA C. ROCHE
Grade 3
Florida State University



classes

elementary class activities

Thanksgiving time once again, when the second graders in Miss Sims' room made turkeys from pine cones.

Mrs. Sleezer's kindergarten pupils settle down for a nice, refreshing nap. It seems as though Mary Simmons and Donnie Brock are more interested in the photographer and his cameras than in sleep.

The third graders in Mrs. Parrish's class study a globe, finding various places tney study about in social science.

Scotty Padgett, Grey Owens, Stevie Morrell, Gregory Pettis, Shirley Gibson, Glenda Harris, Peggy Gilmore, and Randy Jenkins enjoy a reading lesson, under the direction of Mrs. Toole, their first grade teacher.

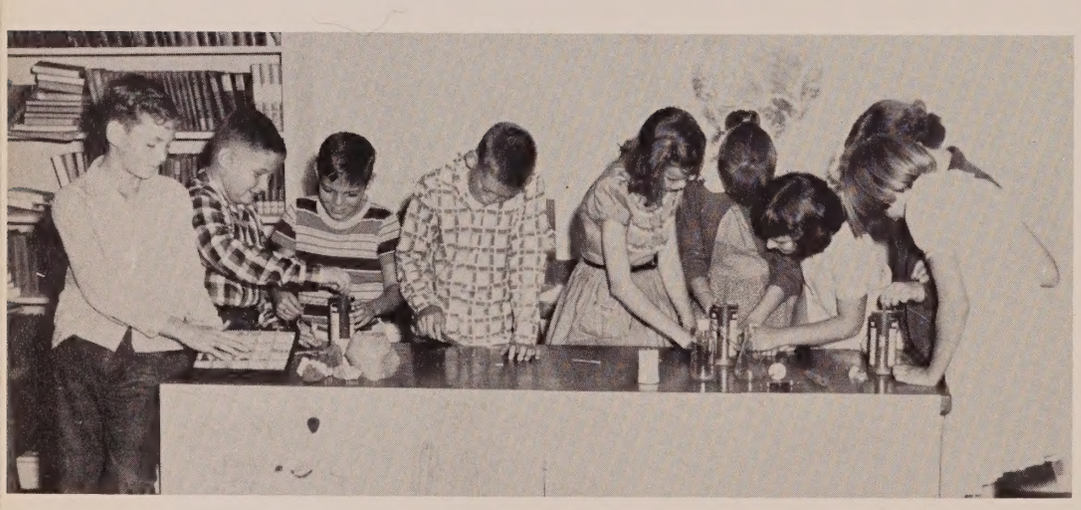
Mrs. Pippen's fifth grade class in reading consists of Milledge Suggs, Nell Dean Farnnin, Margaret Tomasaites, Gerald Ward, Michael Sleezer, L. C. Parish, Grady Dykes.

Budding scientists in Mrs. Rogers' sixth grade are Harlon Register, Mary June Pippen, Millard Leavins, Gloria Church, Dwain Harris, Fairlene Cook.

Mrs. Russ's fourth graders, Myra Dixon and Jeffrey Shipes (standing), study maps in social science.

Lilla Jane Brock, Linda Sue Cook, Larry Carter, Dana Brock
(at left), sixth grade pupils of Mrs. Hutchison, work on a mural of Stephen Foster songs. This mural was shown in assembly in connection with a program, "Way Down Upon the Swanee River."

Fifth and sixth grade pupils are in Spanish. Spanish in the elementary school is something new this year. Mrs. Brannick, who also teaches high school Spanish and English, teaches this group for fifteen minutes of her noon period.



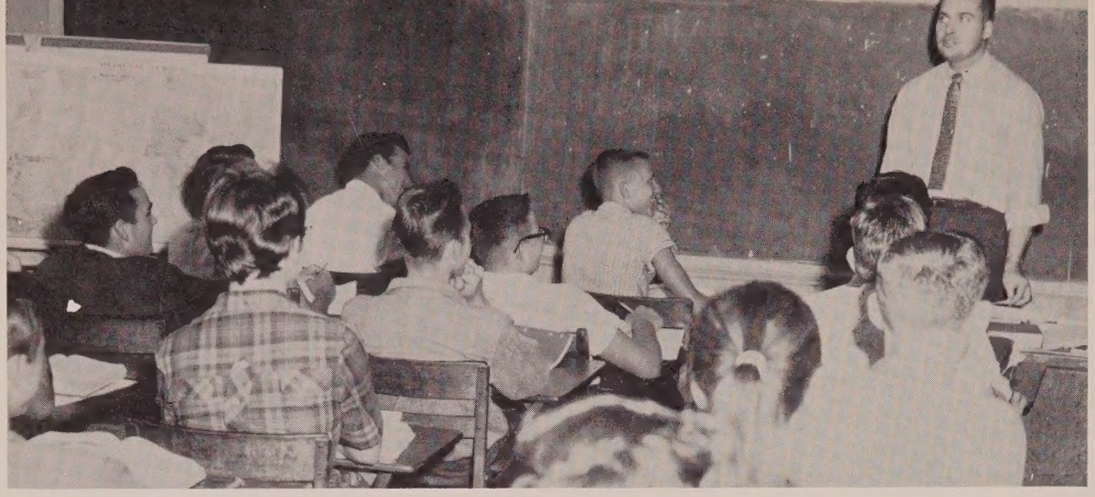
The fifth graders in Mrs. Brock's room enjoy doing experiments to increase their knowledge of science. Those participating are as follows (from left to right): Ray Morris, Michael Brock, Danny Martin, Warren Williams, Joyce Bruner, Wanda Pettis, Melanie Russ, Virginia Dalton, and Delores Cook.

Third graders in Mrs. Roche's room enjoy making many things in art class. Those facing camera are Cynthia Coatney, Betty Anderson, Elaine Pettis, Jimmy Gibson, Larry Gilley, Jerry Strickland, Carolyn Caro, and Juanita Walterman.

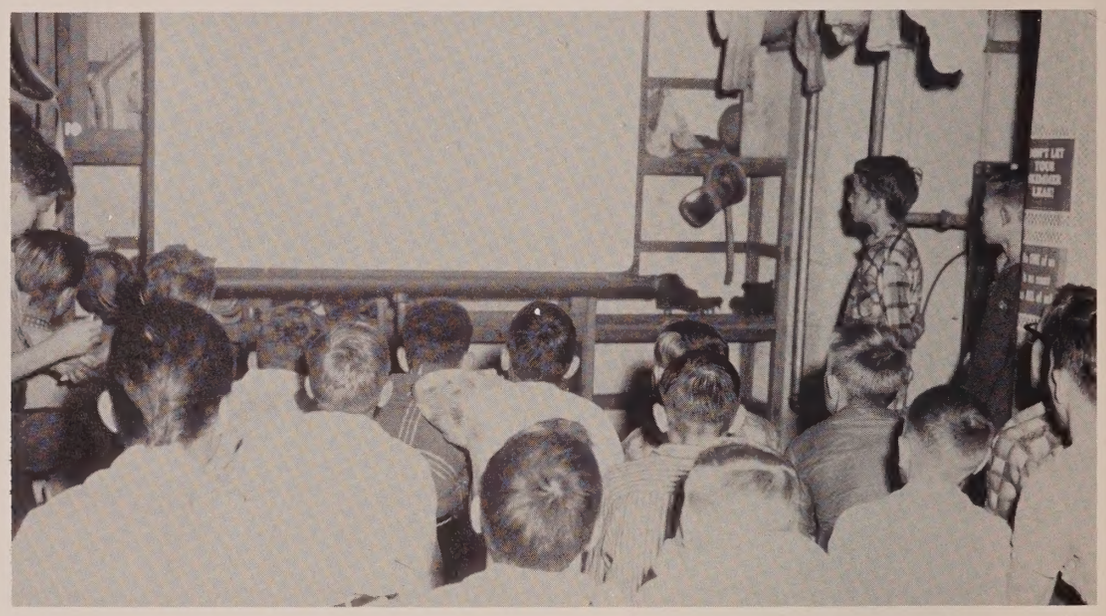
Janet Stampley, Jerry McDade, Linda Cook, Peggy Simmons, Royce Anderson, and Phillip Cook create a mural depicting the journey of the three wise men. These are fourth graders in Mrs. Sapp's room.

Mrs. May directs her second graders in reading lessons. Some of them seem to enjoy art though, judging from the expression on their faces as they make pine cone turkeys.

Eric Suggs ponders over his pencil a moment before beginning to write. Jimmy Strickland and Dwight Brock lean forward to catch Mrs. Bush's directions and Bonnie Lassiter begins to write. Jean Toole and Janet Russ are working with modeling clay.



Wesley Anderson, Dannie Kolmetz, and Larry Hewett give Mr. Moon their undivided attention during a World History lesson.



These boys in Mr. Mitchell's physical education classes don't want to miss a minute of these exciting films. David Eberle and Billy Spears are especially attentive.

George Baragona, Daniel Martin, Mr. Simmons, Jim Harris, Dianne Roche, Bud Bruner, Donald Boyette, Henry Russ, Howard Harris, Jerry Weeks, and Jackie Roche learn all about the newest science equipment in physics class.

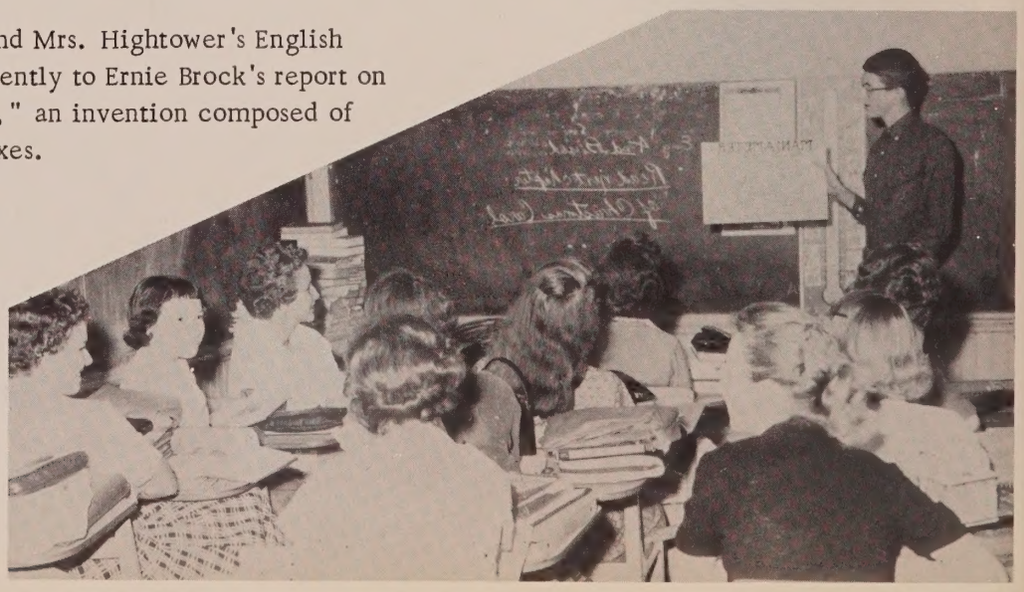
Agriculture III seems to be a busy period for Doyle Cumbie, George Weekly, Carlton Wells, Jimmy Dietz, Kenneth Finch, Jimmy Ray Walsingham, Preston Haddock, Theodore Simmons, and Waylon Harris as they try to figure out a graph.

Johnny Skipper, Richard Stephens, Carlie Taylor, and Mary Nell Collins take notes as Shirley Cota leads Mr. Upton's ninth grade civics class in discussing a news report.

During a regular girls' physical education class in the gym, a typical class plays basketball. A jump ball at center shows Voncile Pettis, Sarah Porter, Bessie Mae Yates, Arlene Smothers, Judy Harrell, and Shelia Cook.

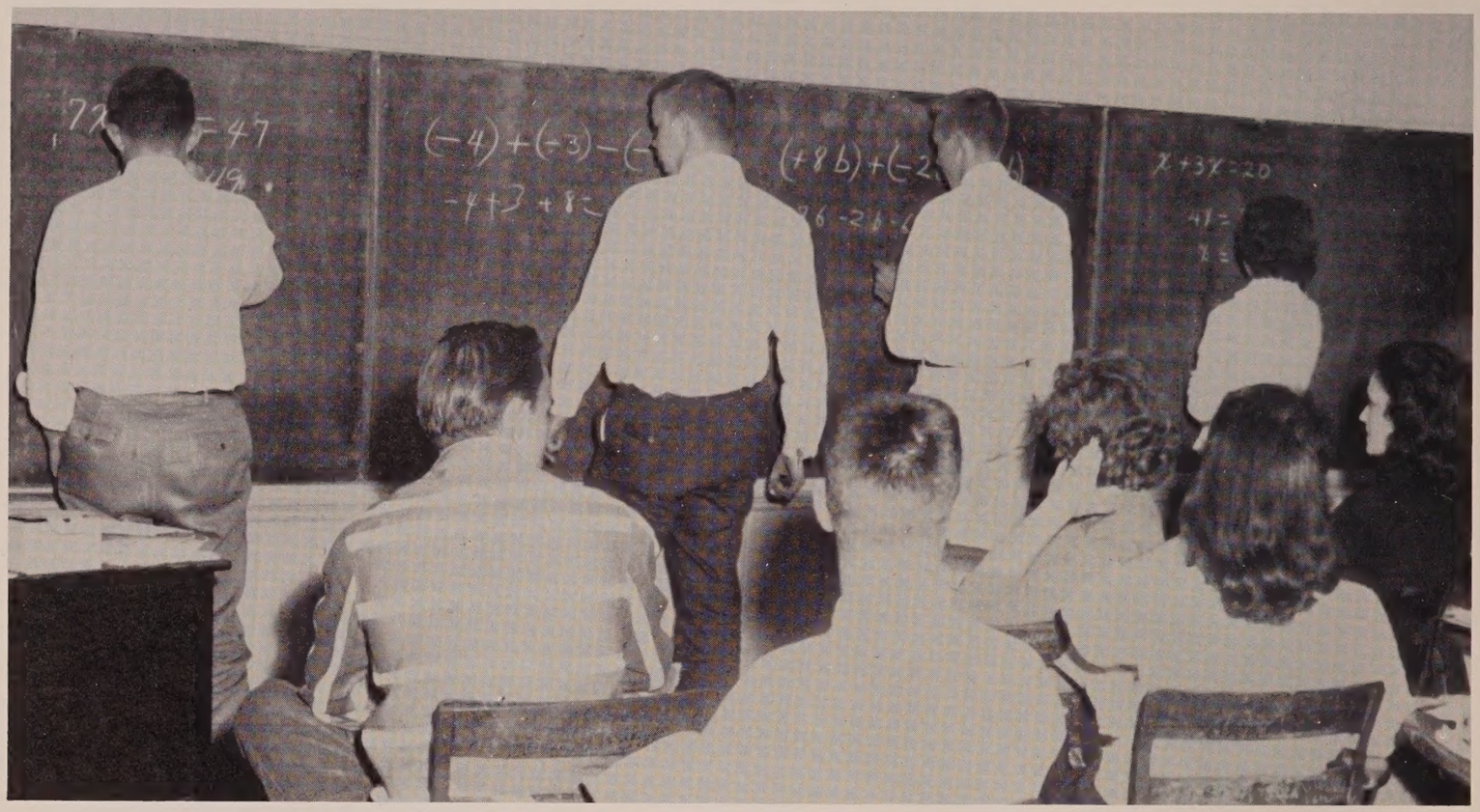
Mary Neta McDade, Lorine Strickland, and Loretta Williams are busily sewing during home economics class. This is a common scene of second year home economics students.

Fourth period found Mrs. Hightower's English class listening intently to Ernie Brock's report on the "maniameter," an invention composed of prefixes and suffixes.



Tenth grade English class read "Is College Football Destroying Itself?" an article in the November edition of READER'S DIGEST. Marcia Sapp leads a discussion on the article. During the year the tenth grade engaged in many such discussions. Betty Haddock and Joey Brock were also frequently chosen as leaders.

Kathryn Russ, Jackie Roche, Doyle Carter, Daniel Martin, Lloyd Bruner and Junior Ferguson do their daily exercise work in Typing II. Mr. Roche is busy making out tests and getting out the school paper.



Richard Stiller, Junior Ferguson, McArthur Finch, and Malvina Haney work and explain problems in Math 12 class. Mrs. Doris Newsom instructs these seniors in the use and importance of math in everyday living.

In Algebra II, Angia Hinson explains one of a series of algebraic terms. At the beginning of the second semester Mr. Donald Reddick, an alumnus of Vernon High School, replaces Mr. Leon R. Cox, who taught first and second year algebra and geometry. Trigonometry was also added to Mr. Reddick's schedule.

activities

homecoming

Queen Joyce Levins and her escort, Jack Dorch, stand viewing the crowd.

Miss Yvonne Parrish, homecoming queen of 1958, sits atop the traditional convertible, enjoying the final moments of her reign.

Joyce smiles proudly as she wears the crown of Vernon's new queen.

It is a silent moment when Yvonne gently places the crown upon Joyce's head.

Other candidates and their escorts are Becky Stampley, Junior Ferguson, Margery Pippin, Tommy Harrell, Dorthy Morrell, Preston Haddock, Ann Hewett, Doyle Carter, Shirley Owens, Bud Bruner, Margaret Bruner, Carlton Wells, Barbara Syfrett, Theodore Simmons.

halloween carnival

Whammo is one of the more popular games at VHS Halloween carnival. Mr. Roche and Mrs. Mitchell, ably assisted by Brenda Mitchell, took in about $20.00 this year.

Sandra Hightower, Winford White, Ruth Williams, Donald Boyette, Karen Miller, Roy Land, Carol Hicks, Bill Hewett, Dianne Roche, Jim Harris, Muriel Wells and Thomas Cook dance the Virginia Reel during the carnival program.

Dances, folk songs, skits, marches, pantomines, and instrumental numbers helped to make the Halloween program very enjoyable and interesting for everyone. The program was presented in the gym under the direction of Mrs. Hightower, Mr. Tobias and Mr. Boone.

Jerry Weeks places the tiara symbolizing royalty upon the head of Queen Sonya Owens, from Mrs. Hightower's section of the eleventh grade, winner in the senior high school.
Other winners were Debby Everitt and Bobby Whitaker, Janice Varnum and Frankie McKeithen, Kathy Walters and Maurice Spikes, Janice Brock and Charles May.

"Madame Scheherazade," Mrs. Brannick, tells Buck Dykes' fortune in her booth at the carnival.

junior play

Dalton Sheffield, Mary Gilmore, Karen Miller, Jim Harris, Judy Harrell, Muriel Wells, Ruth Williams, Ramona Sanders, Louise Grantham, Grace Brock, Becky Stampley, and Waylon Harris practice a Charleston scene from the junior play, "The Form Divine."

CHARACTER	PORTRAYED BY
Lucilla Webb	MURIEL and SANDRA
Arthur Webb	HENRY and EDSOL
Hoopy Webb	BECKY and SONYA
Gretel	JANICE and ARLENE
Peggy	GRACE and MARGIE
Dorothy Coips	JUDY and SCARLETT
Charlotte Benson	GAIL and DOROTHY
Jimmy	WAYLON and JERRY

CHARACTER	PORTRAYED BY
Betty	KAREN and DIANNE
Linda	MARY and PHYLLIS
Mut	JIM and DONALD
Freddie	GEORGE and DALTON
Miss Meadows	JEANIE and SARAH LOU
Paris Green	RUTH and MARY
Mrs. Midge	LUNELL and LOUISE
Miss Nitz	RAMONA and BARBARA
Harry	WINFORD and VIRGIL

The play was performed by a double cast. Other members included George Baragona, Mary Gilmore, Scarlett Cook, Donald Boyette, Margie Pippen, Sandra Hightower, Henry Russ, Winford White, Mary Carter, Sonya Owens and Jerry Weeks.

radio

Mr. Moon, Henry Russ, Sandra Hightower, Muriel Wells, Donald Smith, Mary Carter, Dianne Roche, Jerry Weeks, and Mrs. Hightower.

Our radio program broadcast over Station WBGC in Chipley, every Wednesday afternoon from 4 to 5, has played a large part in the life of students at VHS this year. In years to come the people who have helped make the program a success have hopes of founding a radio club so that many more students and teachers may become interested in the radio programs. Donald Smith, one of the most important persons connected with our program, gives the newscast each week.

Mary Carter, another person who has played a large part in the program, also has weekly jobs. Mr. Moon, the teacher who has supported the program most, has been in charge of each program and has helped club members and others to make the program a good representative of our school.

Members of the Spanish classes: Sonya Owens, Jeanie Walker, Mary Carter, Marcia Sapp, Richard Stephens, and Leonard Sweezey broadcast their very interesting Spanish program over Station WBGC.

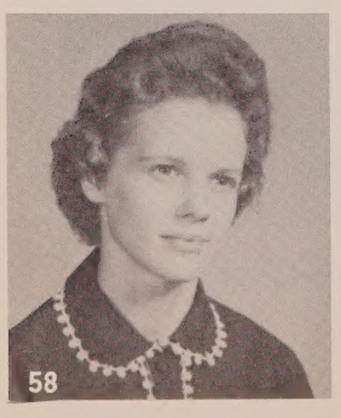
jackets' sting

Members of the "Jackets' Sting" staff (above) are Buddy Squires, mimeograph operator; Margaret Bruner, alumni editor; Barbara Syfrett, art editor; Kathryn Russ, feature editor; Yvette Strickland, business manager.

Joan Dykes, assistant editor; Joyce Levins, editor-in-chief; Sandra Hightower, assistant feature editor; Jerry Weeks, assistant art editor; Mr. Irving Roche, faculty adviser; Howard Harris, sports editor (not pictured).

Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Valentine, Easter, and Commencement issues of the school paper afford Vernon High School much information and pleasure.

Classroom, club, and alumni news, as well as sports, honor roll, and "Platter Chatter" are regular features in the "Jackets' Sting."

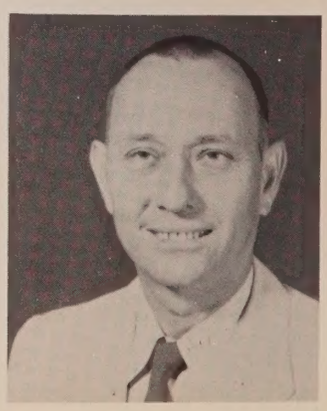


JOYCE LEVINS

Editor-in-Chief

MR. IRVING ROCHE

Adviser



yearbook staff

Joan Dykes, Claudine Dunn, Kathryn Russ, and Verla Mae Hendrix prepare to leave Bay High School where they have been attending a meeting of the Northwest District of the Florida Scholastic Press Association. During the meeting the group learned many useful things about planning the yearbook. One of the purposes of this meeting is to give Northwest Florida students a chance to get together and compare notes, which will help make everyone's yearbook better.

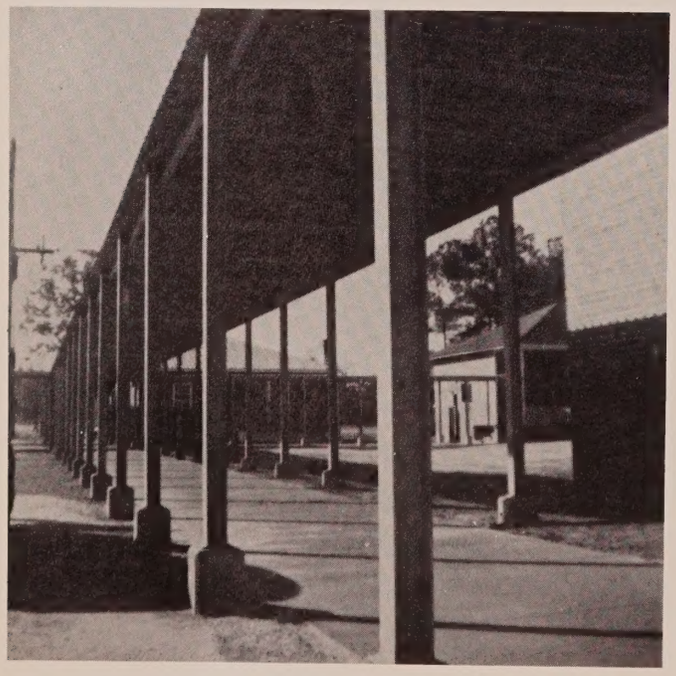
Verla Mae, Joan, Joyce, Claudine.

Yearbook Staff members - Malvina Haney, Verla Mae Hendrix, Kathryn Russ, Claudine Dunn, Joan Dykes, and Joyce Leavins - under the direction of the advisor, Mrs. Lottie Dykes, make plans for the production of the yearbook. The staff finances the yearbook with funds received from a sponsored movie, senior pictures, personal cards and ad sales.

A noisy crowd awaits anxiously their turn in the school cafeteria.

campus capers

Verla Mae Hendrix and Claudine Dunn approach the north entrance.

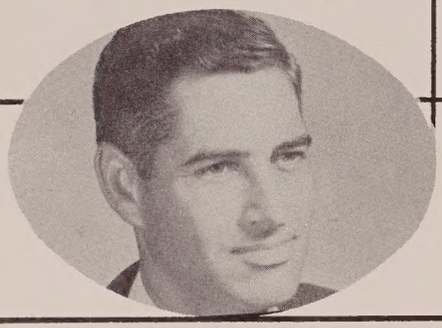


There is beauty in the unusual view of everyday things.

A familiar sight in the halls of VHS.

organizations

Director
CHARLES TOBIAS



girls' chorus

FRONT ROW: Pat Crosby, Sharon Tibbets, Ruth Williams, Norma Felder, Gloria Raley, Angia Hinson, Cathren Whitfield.

SECOND ROW: Susan Evans, Linda Pippin, Mary Squires, Arlene Smothers, Pat Marshall, Joyce Levins, Shirley Swindle, Joan Dykes, Cynthia Sleezer.

THIRD ROW: Barbara Morrell, Barbara Cook, Flora Smith, Nelda Tibbets, Sonya Owens, Becky Stampley, Margery Pippin, Judy Harrell, Barbara Harrell.

BACK ROW: Martha Taylor, Joey Brock, Gail Wells, Pat Sapp, Pat Lewis.

band

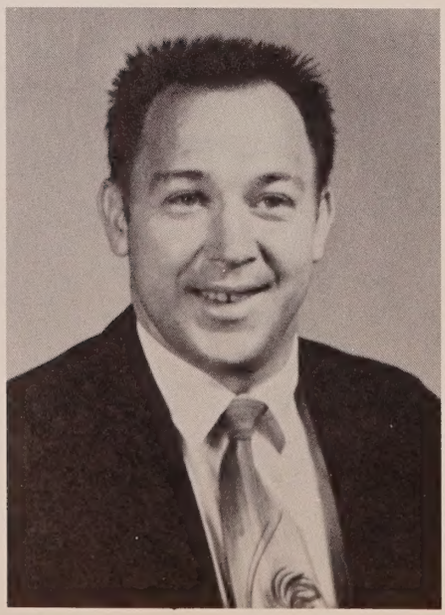
MR. ERNEST BOONE
Director

MAJORETTES: Carolyn Land, Dorothy Morrell, Janice Brock, Sandra Hightower, Judy Brock, Lana Coatney.

FRONT: Judy Brock, Lana Coatney, Sandra Hightower, Dorothy Morrell, Carolyn Land, Janice Brock. SECOND: Mr. Boone, director, Carol Ann Hicks, David Owens, David Eberle, Barbara Pitts, Patricia Sapp, Keith Syfrett, Gloria Weeks, Tommy Cook. THIRD: Ruth Williams, Frankie Brock, Ellen Gainer, Muriel Wells, Grace Brock, Dianne Roche, Mary Eleanor Carter, Charlotte Johnson, Elton Russ, Larry Pippin, George Baragona, Audrey Hudson. BACK: Linda Waller, Betty Haddock, Frances Shaw, Angia Hinson, Ernie Brock, Bud Bruner, Allen Kelly, Ted Bailey, Tyrone May, Kathryn Russ, Jerry Kendrick, Jerry Weeks.

junior girls' chorus

FRONT ROW: Ezelle Burch, Sue Bush, Shila Cook, Joyce Sirmons, Marva Nell Worthington.
BACK: Peggy Pippin, Ruth Hall, Janice Waller, Judy McWilliams, Janice Tyre.



MR. ERNEST BOONE
Director

devotional club

Gwen Finch, Rosalie Walker, Jeanie Walker, president, Yvonne Vonn, Pat McCarthy, game leader, Carol Mercer, Lunell Grantham, song leader, Kathryn Sheffield, devotional leader, Louise Grantham, Sarah Lou Smith, Romona Sanders, vice president, Yvonne Newsom, Betty Sue Diehl, secretary-treasurer, Georgia McAdams, Mr. Upton, adviser.

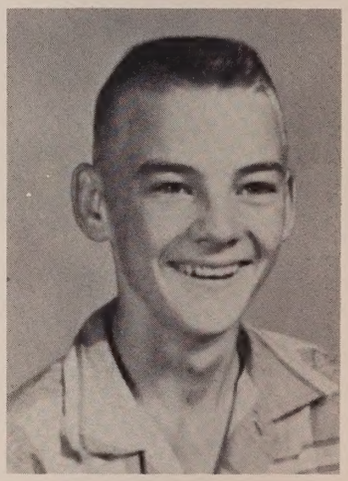
On Friday Devotional club members present devotionals over the intercom system. At Thanksgiving the club gave a fruit basket to the Coatney Rest Home at New Hope. They presented an Easter program over the radio.

The Devotional Club is one of the most active clubs on campus. They invite an outside speaker to visit the school, play Bible games, and go skating.

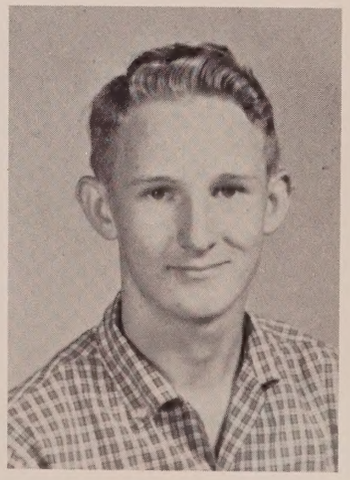
science club

David Eberle, Betty Haddock, Ellen Gainer, Reggie Reddick, Marcia Sapp, Jerry Kendrick, William Hammock, Ernie Brock, Pat McCarthy, and Mr. Simmons examine equipment they will use in the science club.

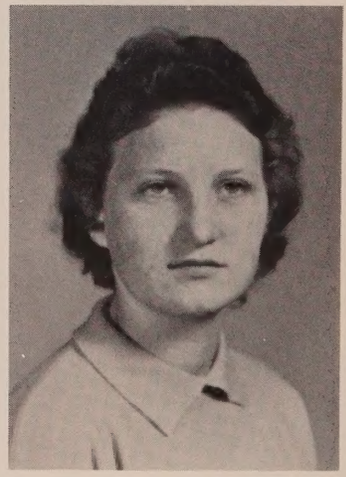
STEVE SIMMONS
Sponsor



JERRY KENDRICK
Vice President



REGGIE REDDICK
President



BETTY HADDOCK
Secretary

library club

LIBRARY CLUB MEMBERS

FIRST ROW - Richard Stiller, Wilson Leavins, Don Finch, Earl Owens, Carlos Finch, Lorine Strickland, Linda Revis, Shirley Reno, Charlaine Cook.

MIDDLE ROW - Mrs. Beverett, James Tutton, Gary Hewett, Kenneth Finch, Nelda Hughes, Malvina Haney, Mary Nell Collins, Ann Hare, Janice Syfrett, Mary Diehl, Ruth Finch.

BACK ROW - Verla Mae Hendrix, Virgil Pennington, Alto Carroll, Willie Taylor, Jimmy Pennington, Melvin Carroll, Tommy Fussell, Voncile Pettis, Corene Hicks, Vita Merl Pettis, Bobbie Johnson, Sherrill Shiver, Minervia Pettis, Jeanette Hammock.

Verla Hendrix, president; Nelda Hughes, chaplain; Carlos Finch, reporter; Virgil Pennington, parliamentarian; Voncile Pettis, treasurer; Ruth Finch, secretary; Malvina Haney, historian.

future homemakers of america

FIRST ROW: Kathryn Russ, Janice White, Jeanette Hammock, Pat Armstrong, Shirley Reno, Barbara Blair, Reese Bruner, Mary Neta McDade. SECOND: Margaret Ann Perkins, Norma Jean Felder, Yvonne Strickland, Linda Carol Pippin, Nancy Kelly, Frankie Brock, Wanda Henderson. THIRD: Carol Ann Hicks, Rosilee Walker, Linda Waller, Linda White, Arlene Smothers, Linda Ward, Norma Jean Brock, Dianne Brock. BACK: Judy Harrell, Judy Brock, Mary Nell Squires, Gail Wells, Angia Hinson, Etta Clark, Mary Sue Shores, Barbara Harrell, Cynthia Sleezer, Verla Mae Hendrix, Frances Shaw, Shirley Gainey.

The FHA won first place in its Interstate Fair exhibit in Pensacola. Mary Eleanor Carter, historian, was a candidate for state vice president of projects. The FHA won first prize on its homecoming float, and was one of five chapters in the state to participate in a survey.

Gloria Raley, secretary; Scarlett Cook, recreation; Barbara Morrell, projects; Carol Mercer, public relations; Betty Haddock, president; Mrs. Cook, adviser; Gwen Syfrett, degrees; Mary Eleanor Carter, historian; Barbara Syfrett, program of work.

future farmers of america

This year Doyle Cumbie, Kenneth Finch, and George Weekly received the State Farmer Degree. The chapter won a superior rating for its total program of work for the year. It also placed fourth in the state in the cow production contest and placed first in the district in the poultry production contest. The chapter scrapbook won first place in the district.

Doyle Cumbie, treasurer; Mr. Hudson, adviser; George Baragona, president; Kenneth Finch, reporter; Saxton Raines, secretary; Jimmy Dietz, sentinel; George Weekly, vice president.

FIRST ROW: Buddy Squires, Vaughn Galloway, E. B. Ferguson, Doyle Cumbie, George Baragona, Kenneth Finch, George Weekly, Jimmy Dietz, Saxton Raines. SECOND: Donald Ray Smith, Curtis Porter, John Elton Worthington, Jonnie Skipper, Winford White, Theodore Simmons, Newton Brock, James Johns, Wayne Carter. THIRD: George Messer, Alcus Lee, Jimmy Pennington, Ronnie Brock, Jerry Levins, Waylon Harris, Joe Shores, Mr. Hudson. FOURTH: James Hagan, Gary Hewitt, Daniel Wallace, Mack Blue, Ferrel Brock, Joe Smothers, Willis Hagan, Bill Hewitt. FIFTH: W. A. Rogers, Joseph Moore, Lemuel Smith, Earl Cook, Roy Yates, Carlton Wells, W. T. Pettis, Kennith Cook, Richard Gilmore, Loyal Jones. BACK: N. B. Pettis, Melvin Carroll, Tommy Fussel, Virgil Pennington, Ferrel Taylor, Mildredge Carroll, John Earl Walsingham, Jimmy Ray Walsingham, John Ferguson, Morris Dixon, Bob Hightower.

beta club

THE BETA CREED
(An Excerpt)

"As a member of the Beta Club and as a citizen of my community, state, and nation I believe in and shall strive to promote the principles of: HONESTY: knowing that honesty is necessary to the formation of good character, and that the principles of honesty dictate that I not only refrain from dishonesty; but that I perform my duties fully and take advantage of the opportunities afforded me by my circumstances; SERVICE: being convinced that the rendering of helpful service to my fellowman is a duty and a privilege conferred upon me by my forebears and by my environment, and that I can attain lasting satisfaction only by rendering such service to the best of my ability . . ." Other principles of the Beta Club are justice, cooperation, responsibility, industriousness, humility, and charity.

The Beta Club sponsored the Red Cross drive in the school. It also assumed responsibility for devotionals in the Parent-Teacher Association.

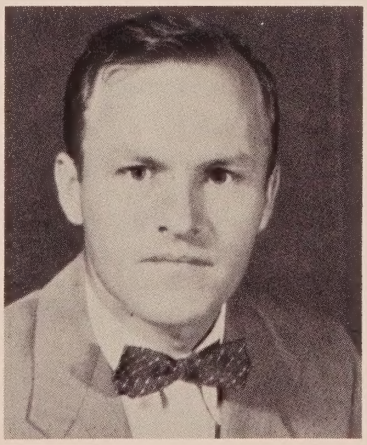
Joyce Levins, Joan Dykes, Joe Ferol, and Margery Pippin attended the initial meeting of district Beta Clubs in Grand Ridge on January 19. In the spring a district organization was effected at a meeting in Panama City.

FIRST ROW: Sonya Owens, publicity chairman; George Baragona; Becky Stampley, projects chairman; Lottie M. Dykes, faculty adviser. SECOND ROW: Joyce Levins, president, Muriel Wells, Joe Ferol; Dianne Roche, vice president, Joan Dykes, secretary-treasurer.

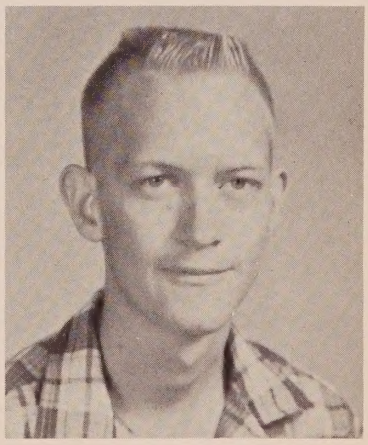
student council

Barbara Morrell, Tommy Cook, Dickie Stampley, Patricia Sapp, Betty Pippen. Kathryn Russ, Judy Brock, Janice Brock, Becky Stampley, Marcia Sapp, Mr. Russ. Betty Haddock, Mary Carter, Donald Smith, Howard Harris, Muriel Wells, and Ernice Brock.

The Student Council, under the direction of Mr. James Russ Jr., has undertaken many projects for the beautification of our school. One of these projects, to purchase signs for the front of the building, was started later this year and will be continued next year. A traditional project of the Student Council was Homecoming. The members carried out their plans and made Homecoming a tremendous success for everyone. The Student Council also continued the paper sales from last year and was in charge of scheduling student assembly programs. Throughout the year students participated in well-planned and executed fire drills by the Student Council.



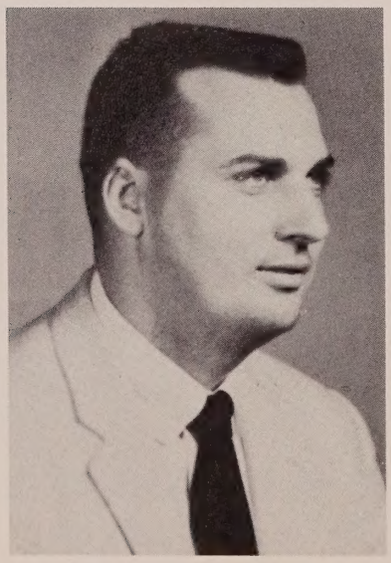
MR. JAMES RUSS
Adviser



DONALD RAY SMITH
President

history club

From left to right as faces appear: Gail Wells, Elton Russ, Shelia Cook, Linda Waller, Nancy Kelly, vice president, Leonard Sweezy, president, Patricia Sapp, Ernie Brock. Frankie Brock, reporter, Daryl Armes, Gordon Hood, Larry Pippin, Donald Cook, Shirley Gainey, Margaret Perkins, Mr. Moon, adviser, Janice White, secretary-treasurer.

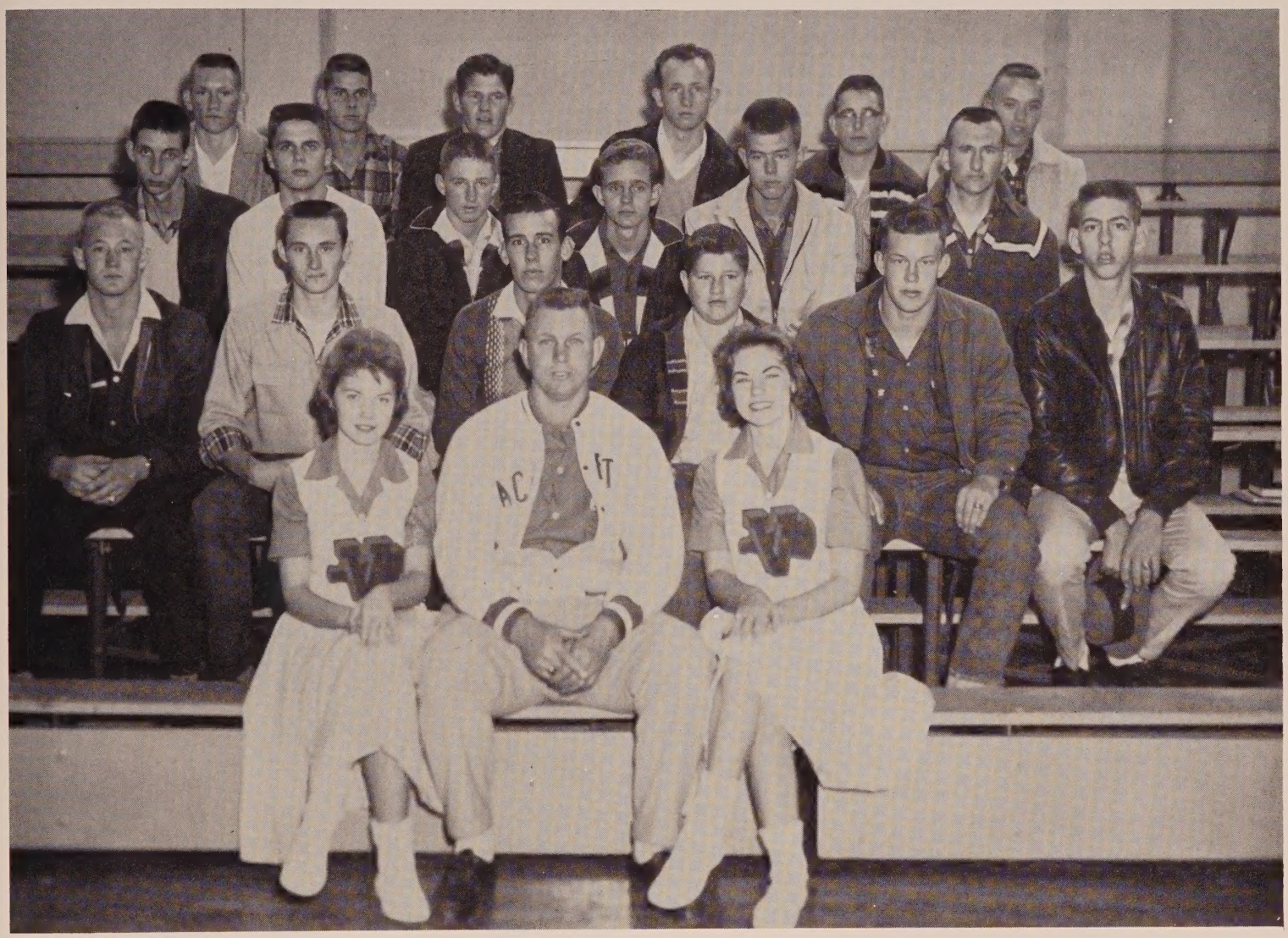


MR. WILLIAM MOON
Adviser

The History Club was organized in the fall term of the 1959-60 school year. Membership is open to students who have at least a "C" average in their social studies courses and who possess an interest in history. The club held a Christmas party and a spring social.

The club's project has been writing a history of Vernon. It is hoped that this project can be expanded to include a history of Washington County.

v-club



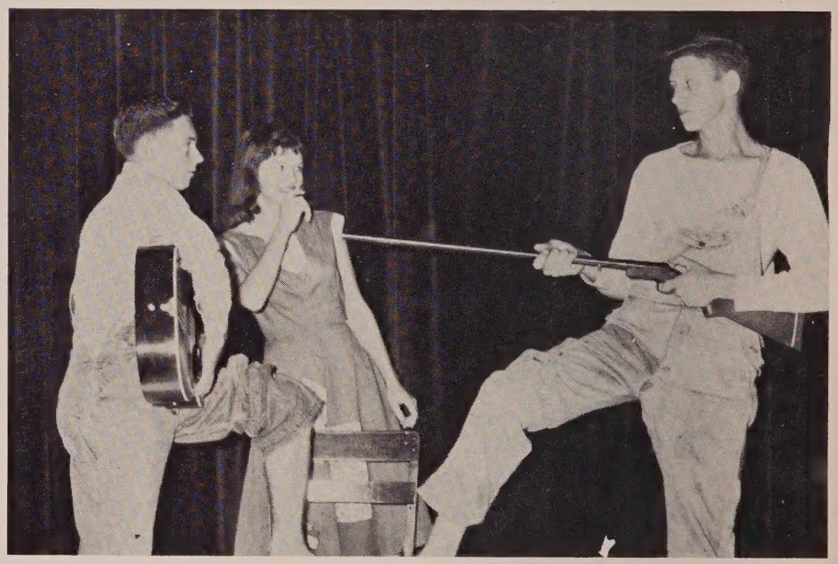
FRONT: Mary Neta McDade, Coach Sam Mitchell, Minnie Frances Gilmore. SECOND: Larry Bruner, Dale Taylor, Wesley Anderson, Charles Simmons, Junior Ferguson, Howard Harris. THIRD: Wayne Carter, Ronnie Brock, Adron Coatney, Joe Ferol, Carlton Wells, Tommy Harrell. BACK: H. T. Waller, Jack Dorch, Theodore Simmons, Daniel Martin, Dannie Kolmetz, Jackie Roche.

The V Club consists of boys who have lettered in some kind of sport at least one year. Cheerleaders are also members by the same lettering.

v-club

dramatics club

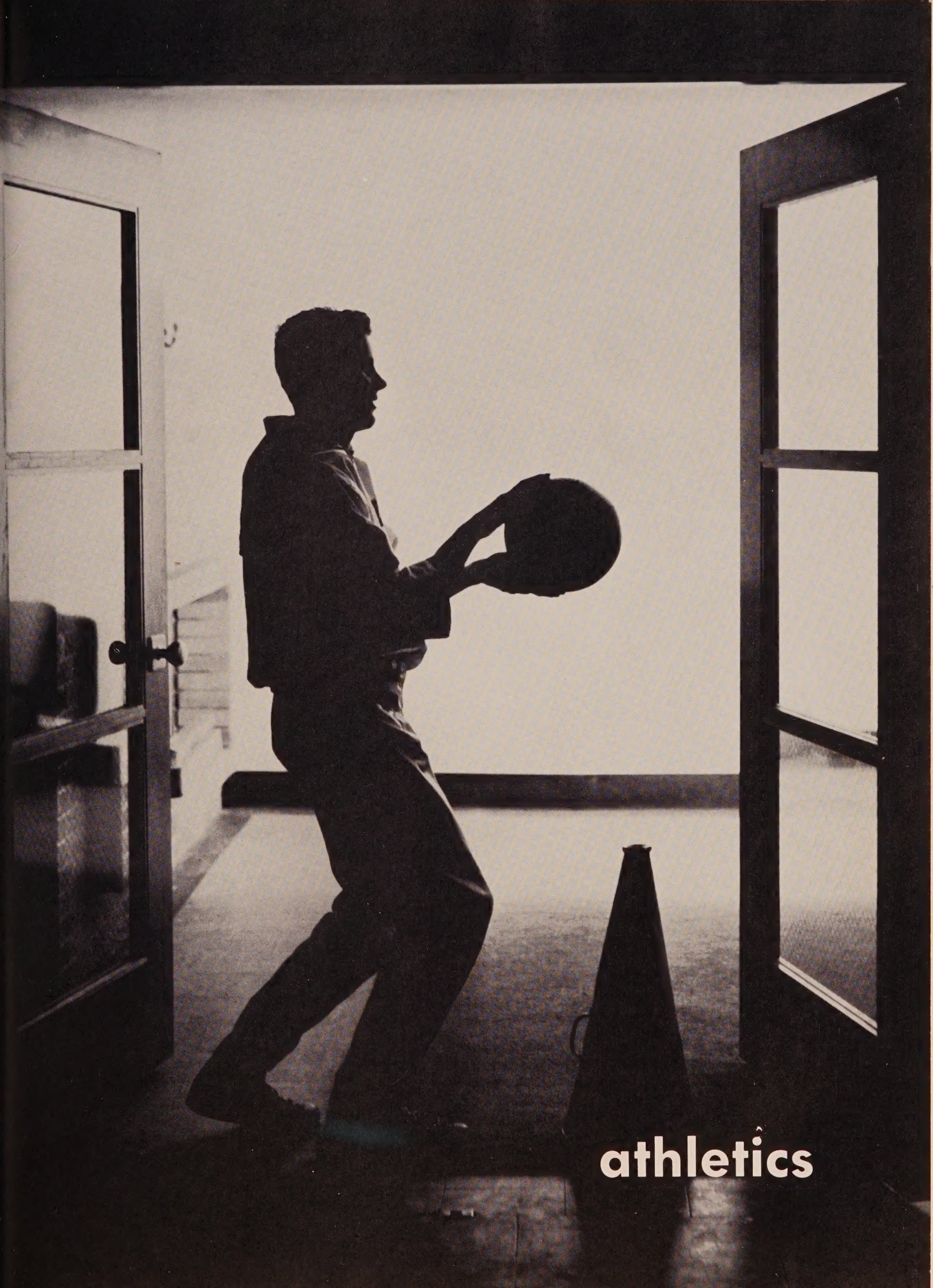
A pantomime of the record "El Paso" featuring (above) Broward Padgett, Grace Brock, Mary Gilmore, Karen Miller, Aline Morris, Gloria Raley, Kenneth Brock, Barbara Morrell, Judy Harrell, Norma Felder, and Carol Hicks will be presented by the actors of the Dramatics Club.



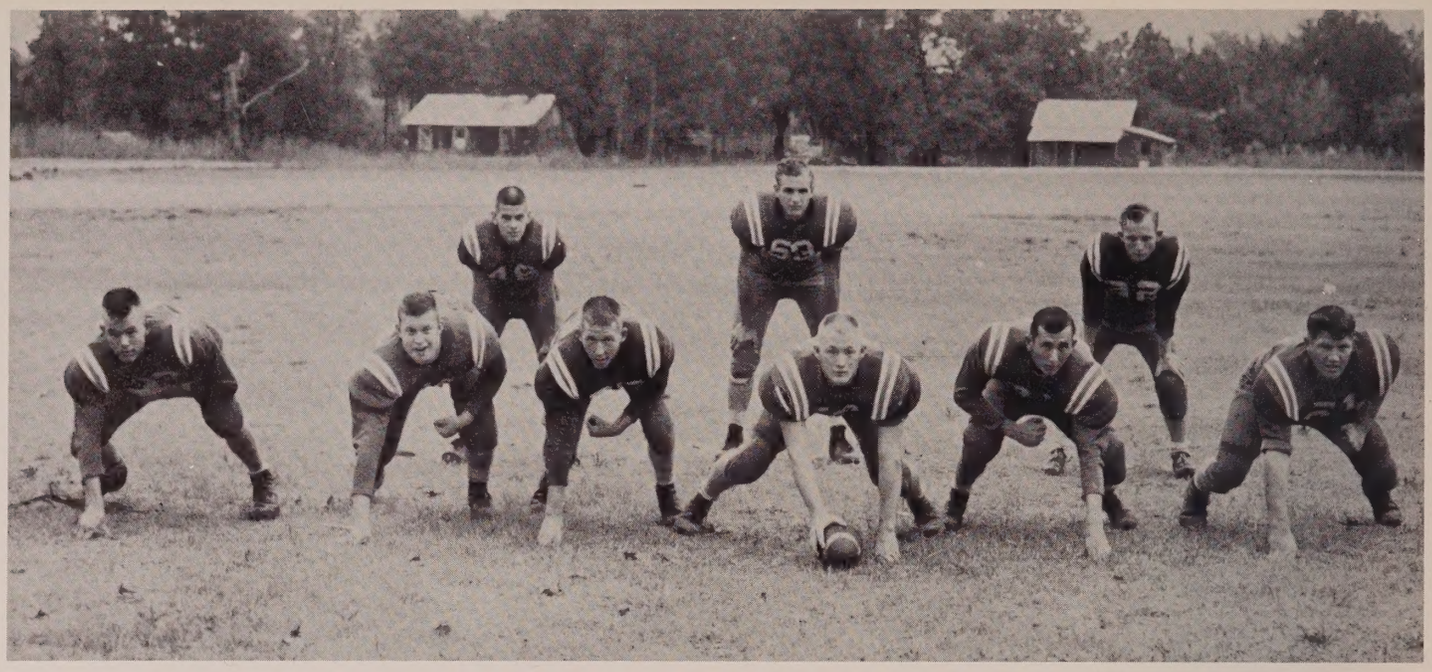
Jerry Weeks, Ruth Williams, and Donald Boyette are rehearsing a scene from "Mountain Maggie," a hillbilly skit to be presented to the Dramatics Club.

During the year Dramatics Club members perform many skits to acquaint themselves with drama, comedy, and other types of acting.

"Hat Chatter," one of such comical skits, stars Richard Stephens, Aline Morris, Nancy Kelly, Charlotte Johnson, Carol Ann Hicks, Ouida Johnson, Dianne Roche, Mary Neta McDade, and Frances Shaw.



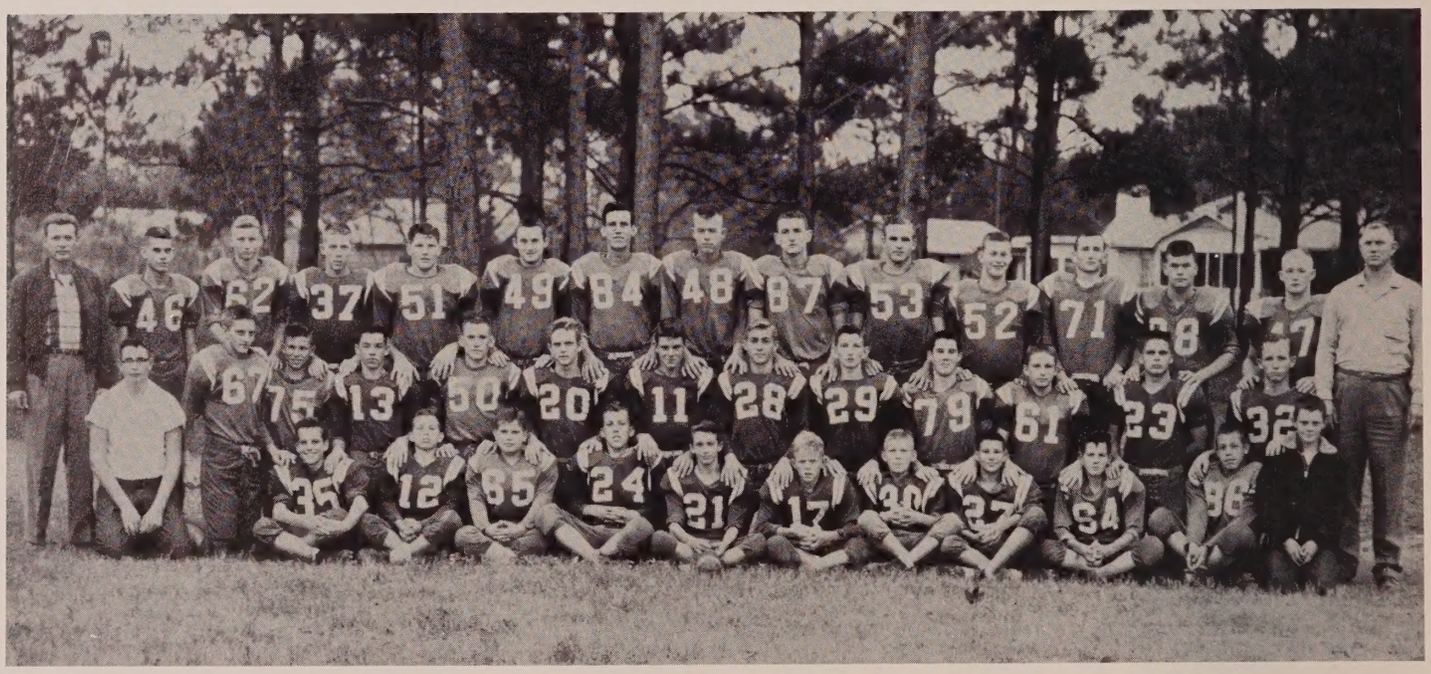
athletics



SENIOR FOOTBALL PLAYERS

FRONT ROW - Carlton Wells, Junior Ferguson, Buddy Squires, Larry Bruner, Tommy Harrell, Theodore Simmons.

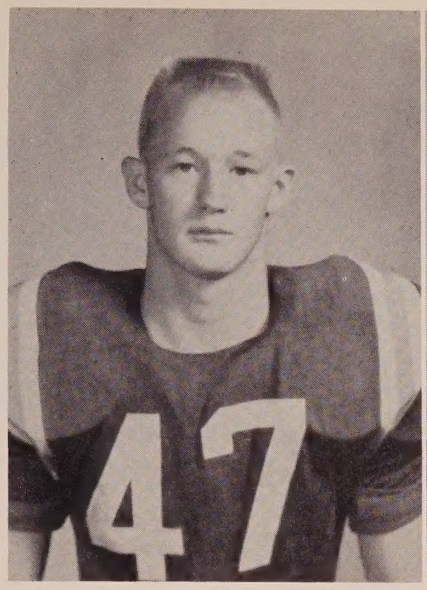
BACK ROW - Jack Dorch, Preston Haddock, Daniel Martin.



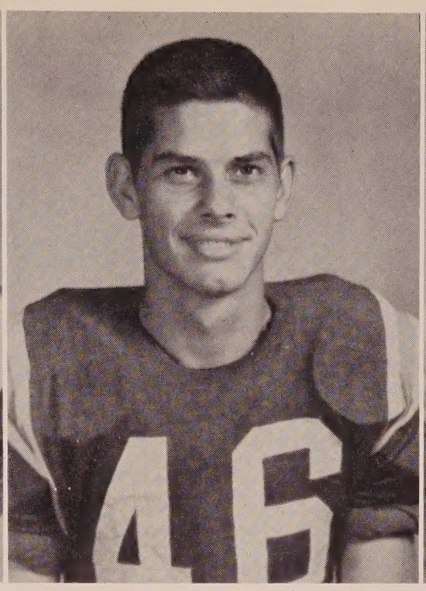
FRONT ROW - Richard Stephens, Kenny Dykes, Darrel Armes, Bill Hewett, Charles Jenkins, Robert Boyette, Herbert Haddock, Drexal Harris, Alcus Lee, Clyde Armstrong, Jimmy Shores.

MIDDLE ROW - Dannie Kolmetz, Joe Lee Smothers, Waylon Harris, Hayward Dykes, H. T. Waller, Joe Ferol, Joe Shores, Dalton Sheffield, Bob Hightower, Richard Gilmore, Adron Coatney, Ronnie Brock, Daniel Martin.

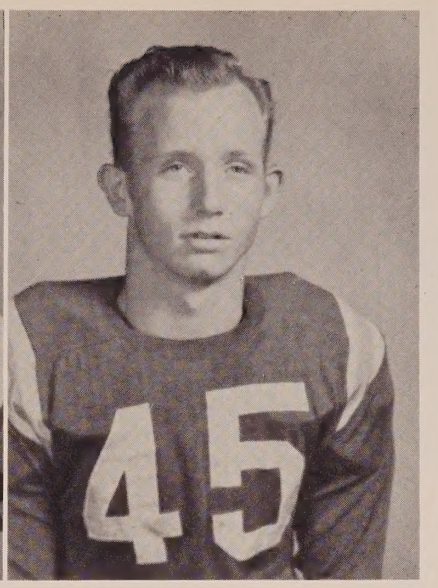
BACK ROW - Coach Horne, Jack Dorch, Jim Harris, Buddy Squires, Theodore Simmons, Dale Taylor, Wesley Anderson, Carlton Wells, Winford White, Preston Haddock, Junior Ferguson, Tommy Harrell, John Ferguson, Larry Bruner, Coach Mitchell.



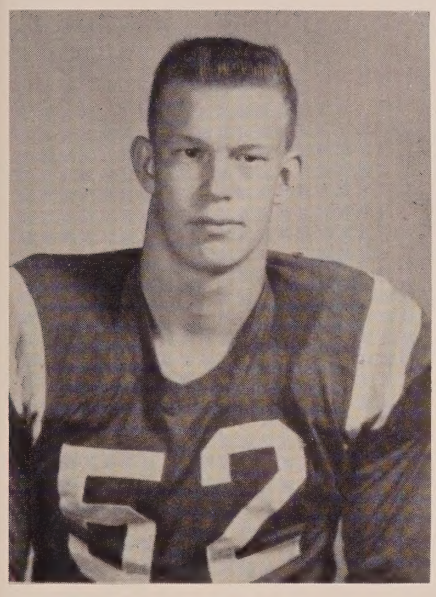
LARRY BRUNER
Center
4 years



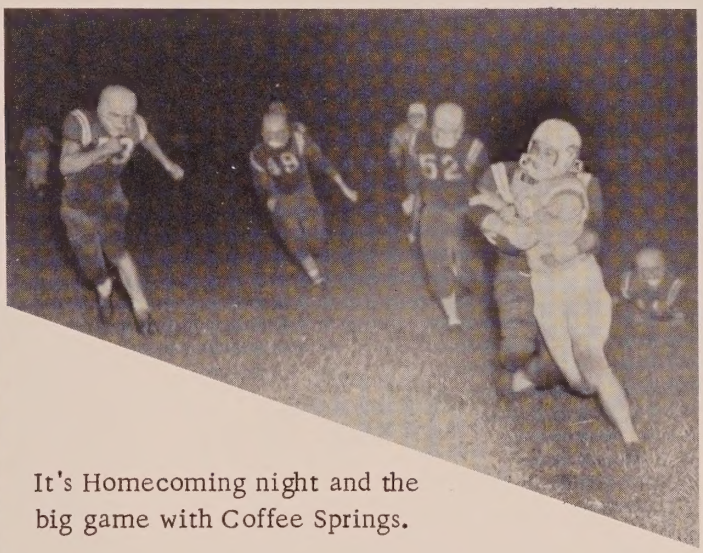
JACK DORCH
Right Halfback
3 years



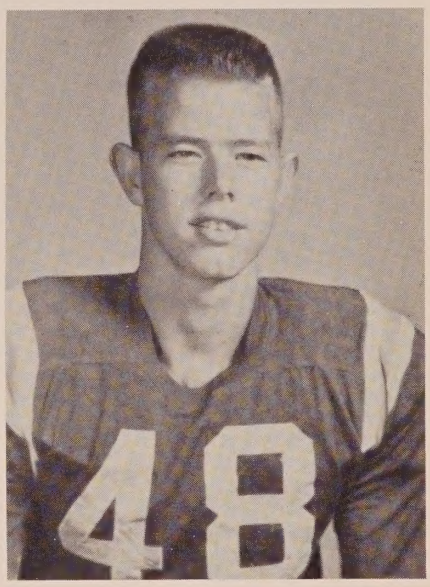
DANIEL MARTIN
Left Halfback
4 years



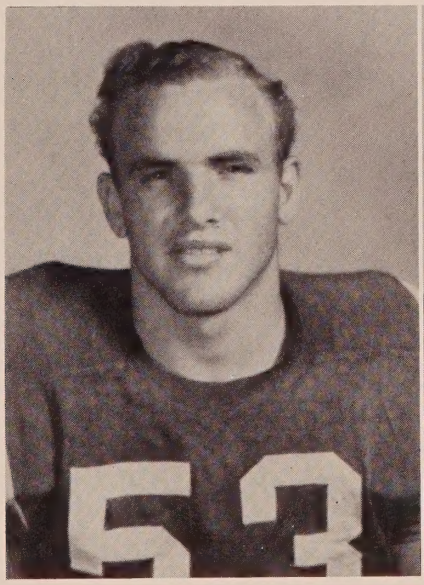
JUNIOR FERGUSON
Tackle
4 years



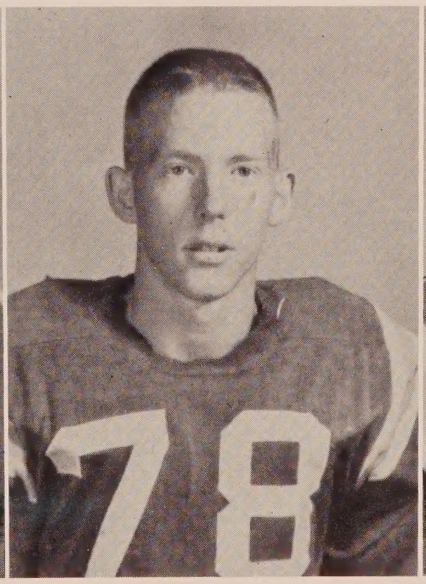
It's Homecoming night and the big game with Coffee Springs.



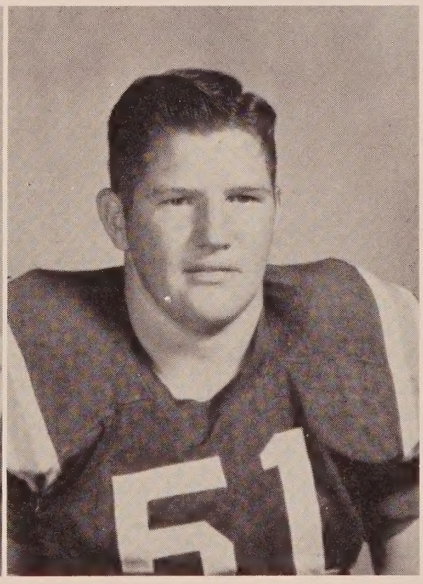
CARLTON WELLS
Center Guard
2 years



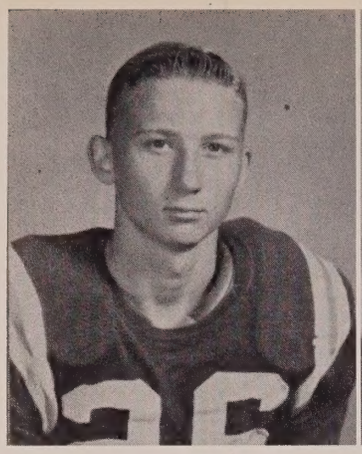
PRESTON HADDOCK
Fullback
4 years



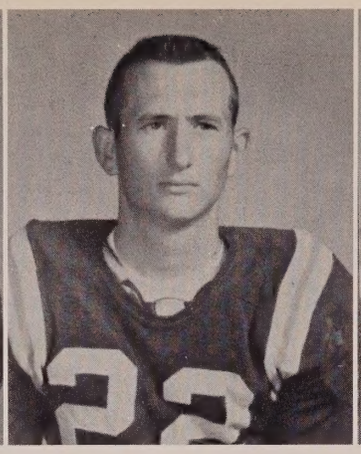
BUDDY SQUIRES
Fullback
1 year



THEODORE SIMMONS
Tackle
4 years

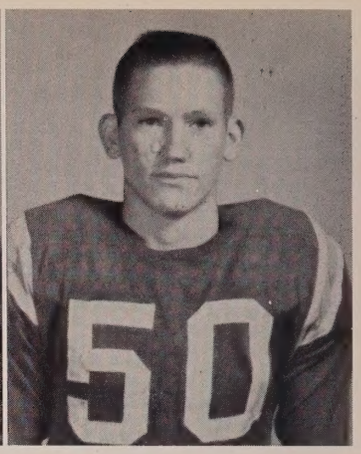


JIM HARRIS
Halfback

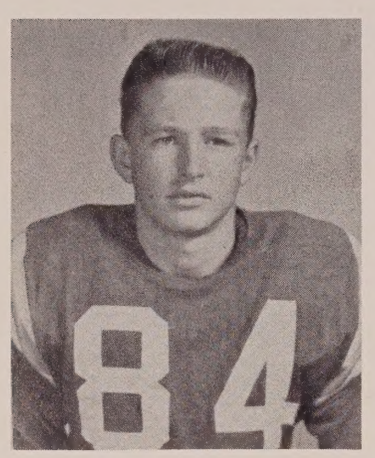


TOMMY HARRELL
Guard
2 years

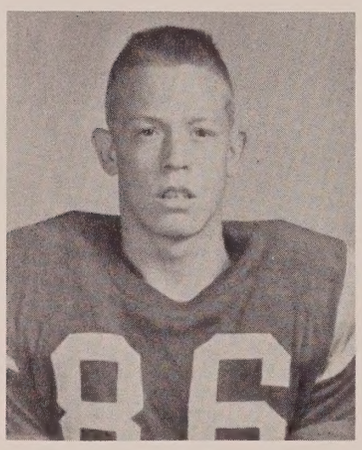
DALE TAYLOR
End
2 years



H. T. WALLER
Quarterback
2 years



ADRON COATNEY
Guard

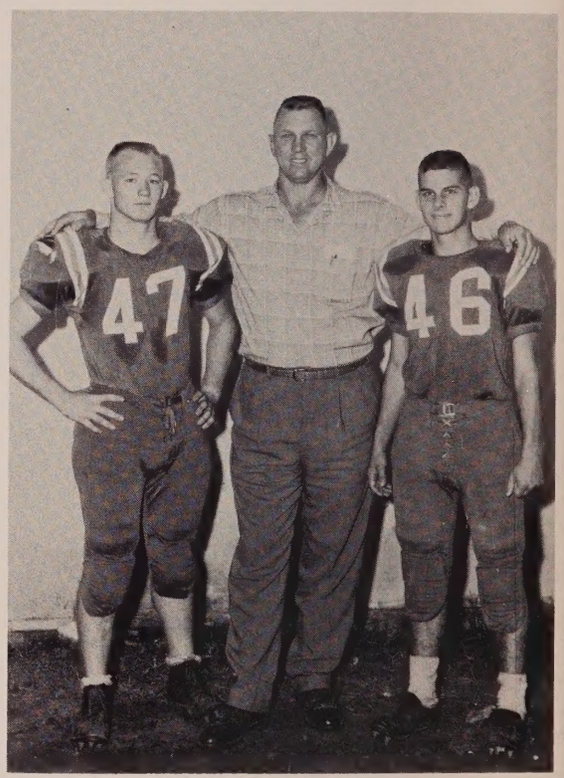


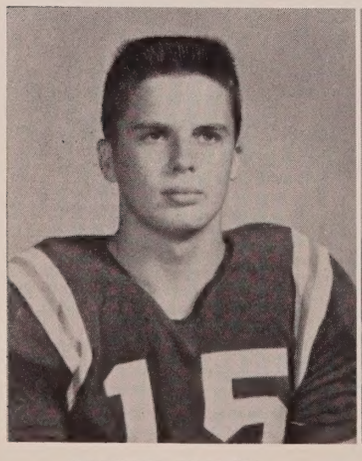
CLYDE ARMSTRONG
Tackle

A proud coach congratulates two of his team members on their election as captain and co-captain. Bud and Jack look rather proud of themselves too.

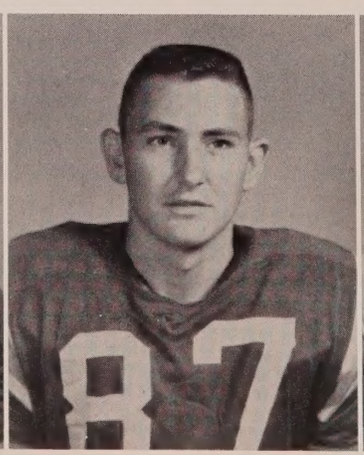
As the 1957 football season began, the Yellow Jackets met their first opponents from Blountstown. Undaunted, the following week they tied up Chattahoochee 26-26. Their season's record; five losses, four wins, one tie.

Theodore Simmons, Daniel Martin, Larry Bruner, and Junior Ferguson made All-Conference, and Buddy Squires and Carlton Wells were chosen consolators.

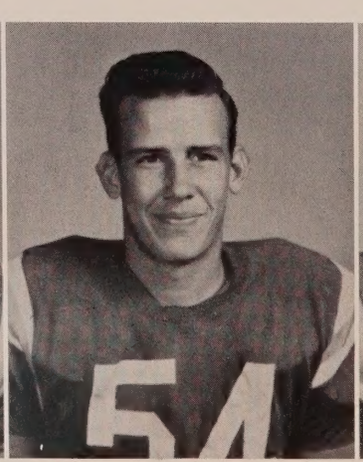




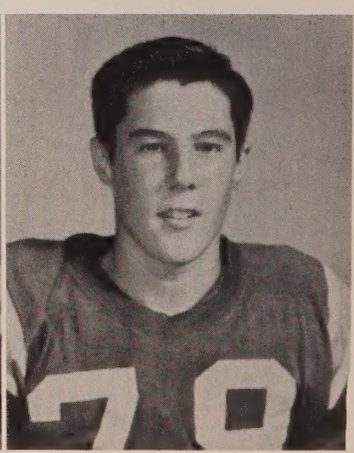
RONNIE BROCK
Guard



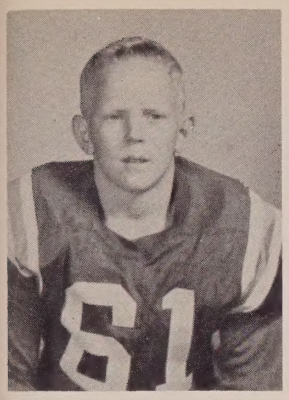
WINFORD WHITE
Tackle



WESLEY ANDERSON
End



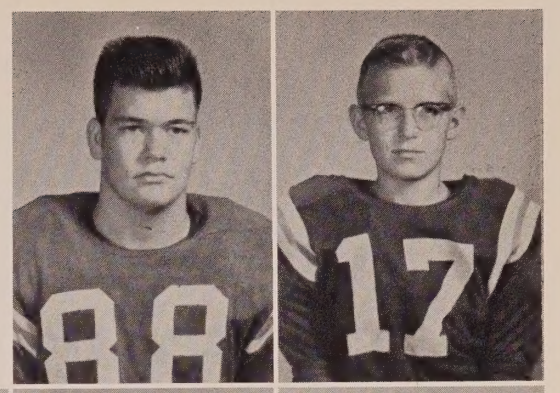
RICHARD GILMORE
Guard
2 years



ROBERT BOYETTE
End

JOHN FERGUSON
Tackle

HERBERT HADDOCK
Tackle



KENNY DYKES
Guard

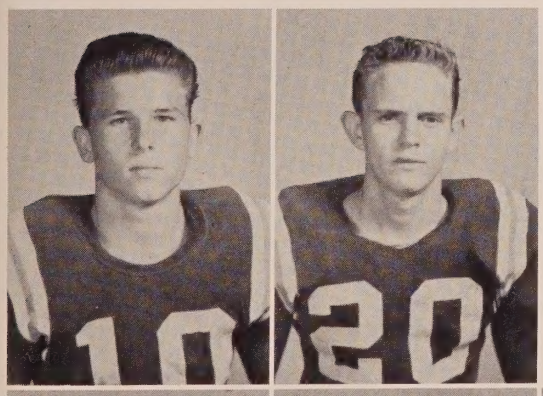
JOHN BUSH
Tackle

RICHARD STEPHENS
Guard

WILLIE TAYLOR
Guard

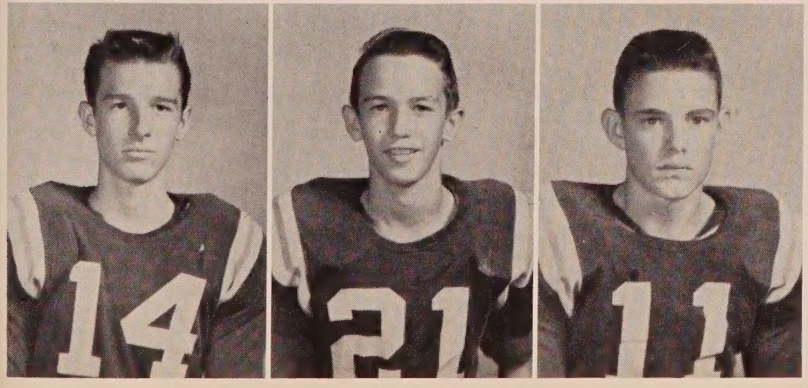
DALTON SHEFFIELD
Halfback

HAYWARD DYKES
Guard



WAYLON HARRIS
Guard

JOE FEROL
Halfback



LESLIE COOK
Tackle

DARRELL OWENS
Guard

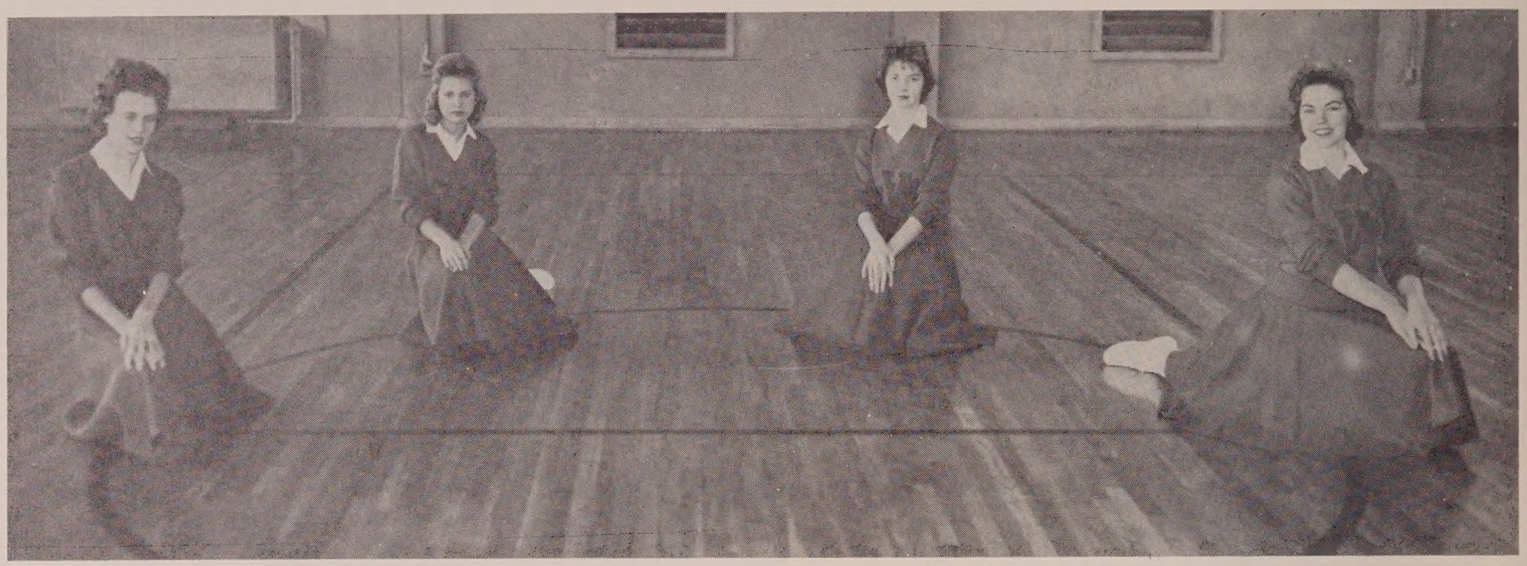
HENRY RUSS
Back

ALLEN KELLY
End

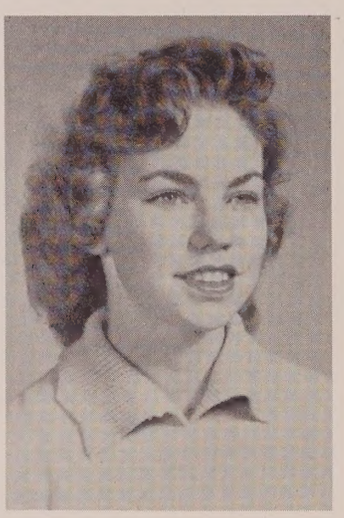
CHARLES MAY
Quarterback

JOE SHORES
End

vhs cheerleaders

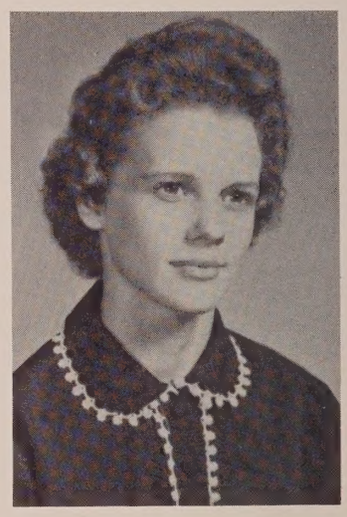


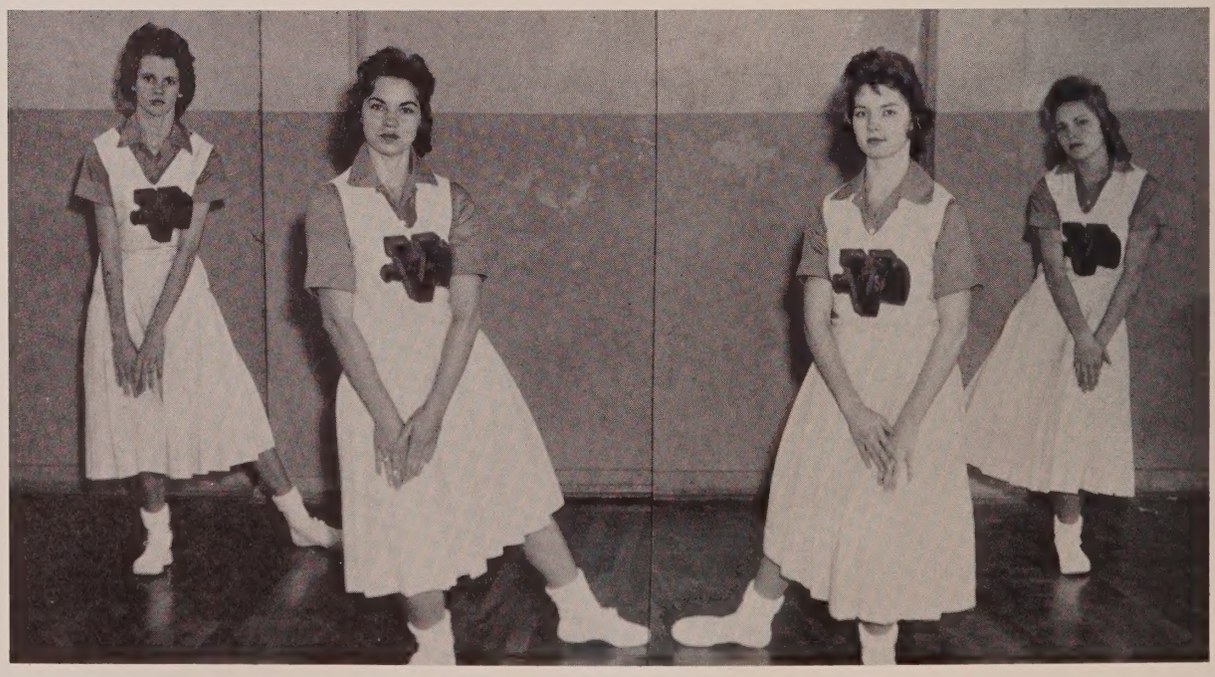
Who leads the students in yells and helps boost school spirit? Why none other than our VHS cheerleaders: Joyce Levins, a senior, Mary Gilmore, a junior, Mary McDade, a sophomore, and Minnie Gilmore, a senior.



MINNIE GILMORE
Captain

JOYCE LEVINS
Co-Captain





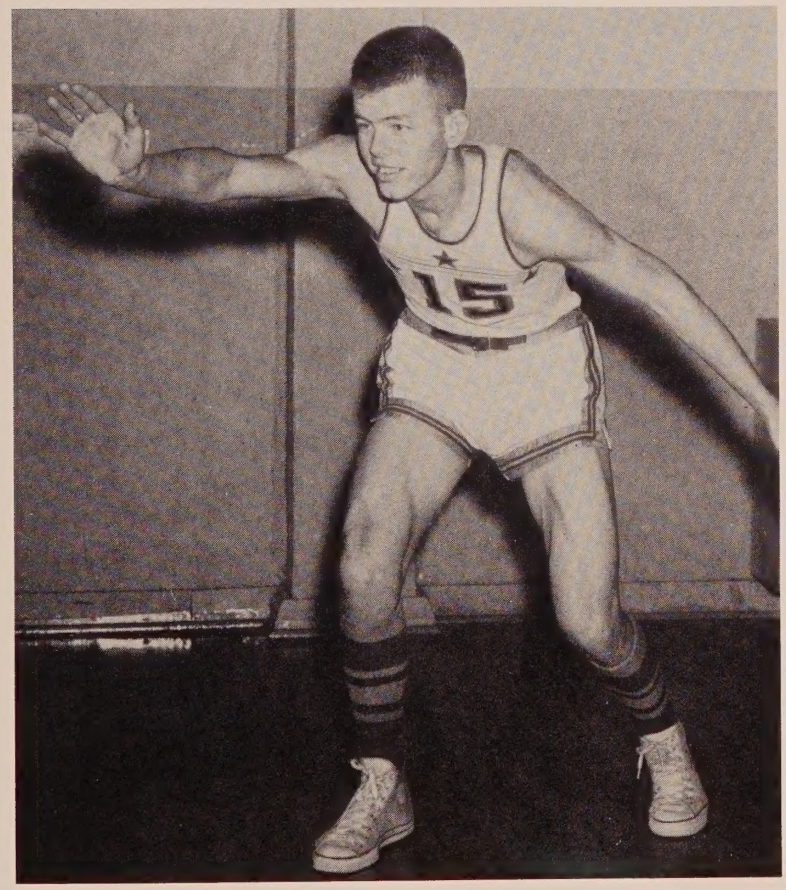
Since the cheerleaders wanted new and different outfits for basketball season, they decided on white and blue, which seem very appropriate.

"A" TEAM

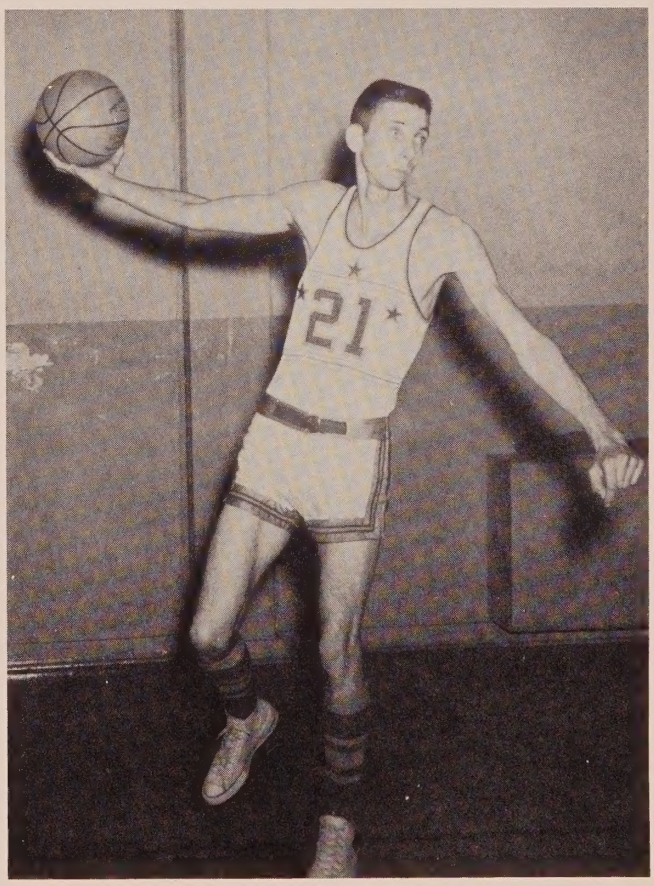
Coach Horne, George Baragona, Jim Harris, Dale Taylor, Carlton Wells, Wayne Carter, Howard Harris, W. A. Rogers, Theodore Simmons, Dalton Sheffield, Charles Edward Simmons (kneeling).

Even though our "A" team didn't have the highest average in basketball, it deserves a lot of credit. The players never gave up but played hard against their opponents in each game.

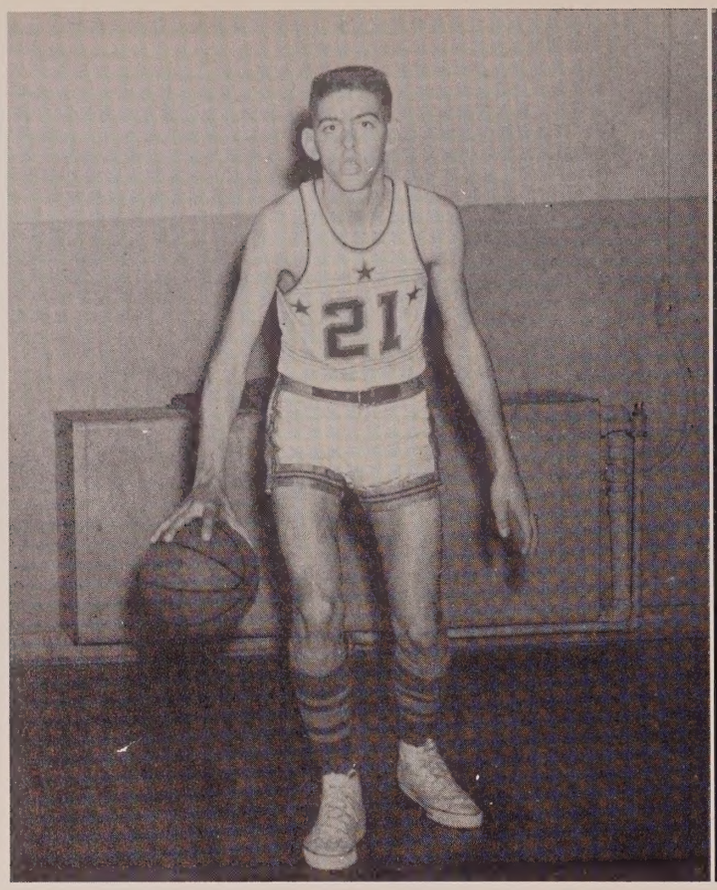
For the first time in our school's history the Panhandle Conference was held in our gym. This was an exciting event for the students of our school, as well as from other schools. Our team played in the consolation game and won.



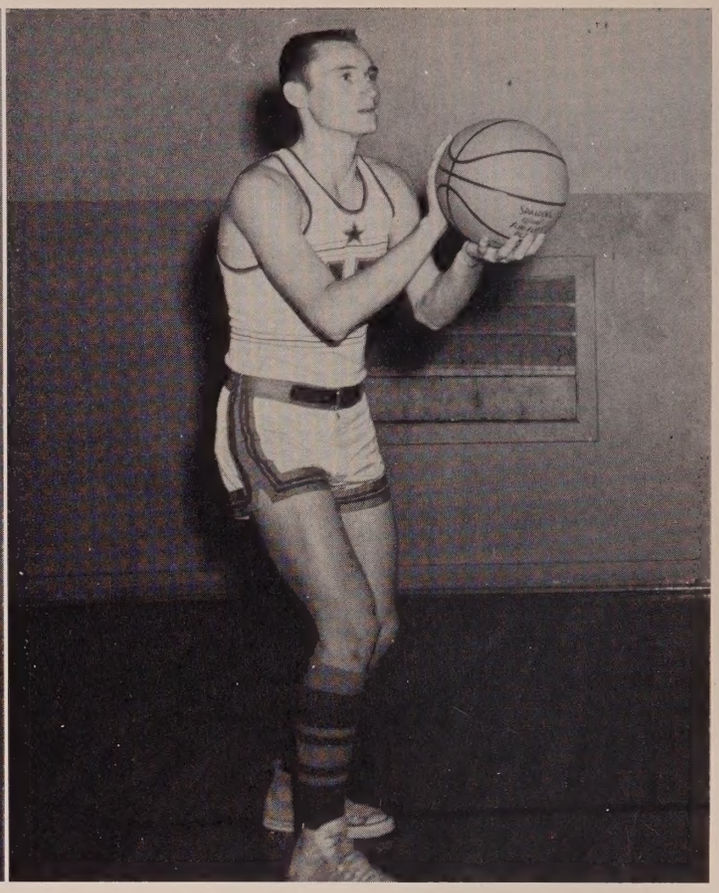
CARLTON WELLS
Senior
Center



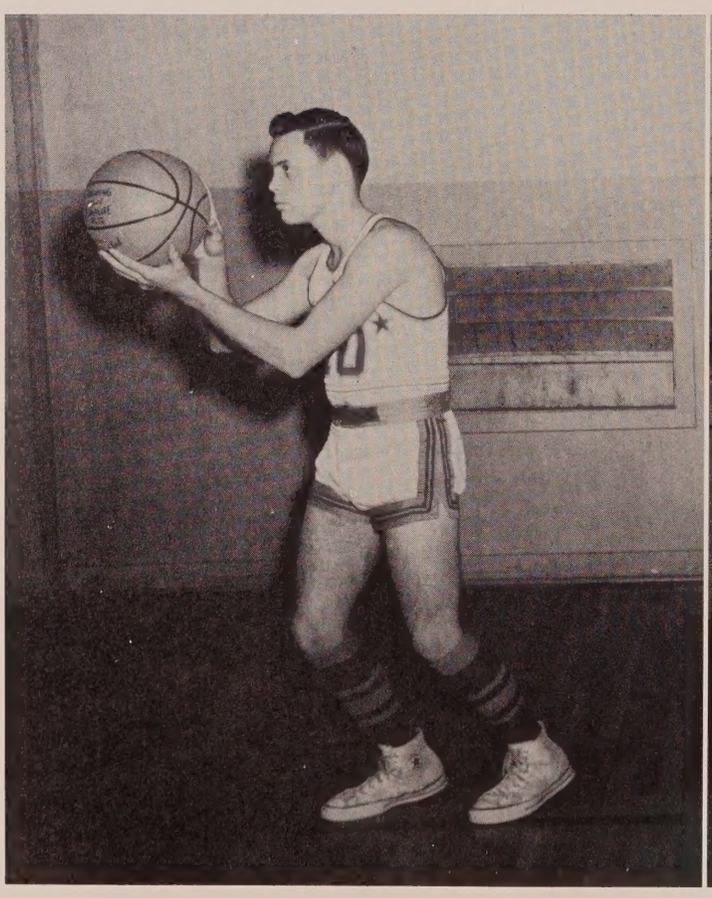
WAYNE CARTER
Senior
Center



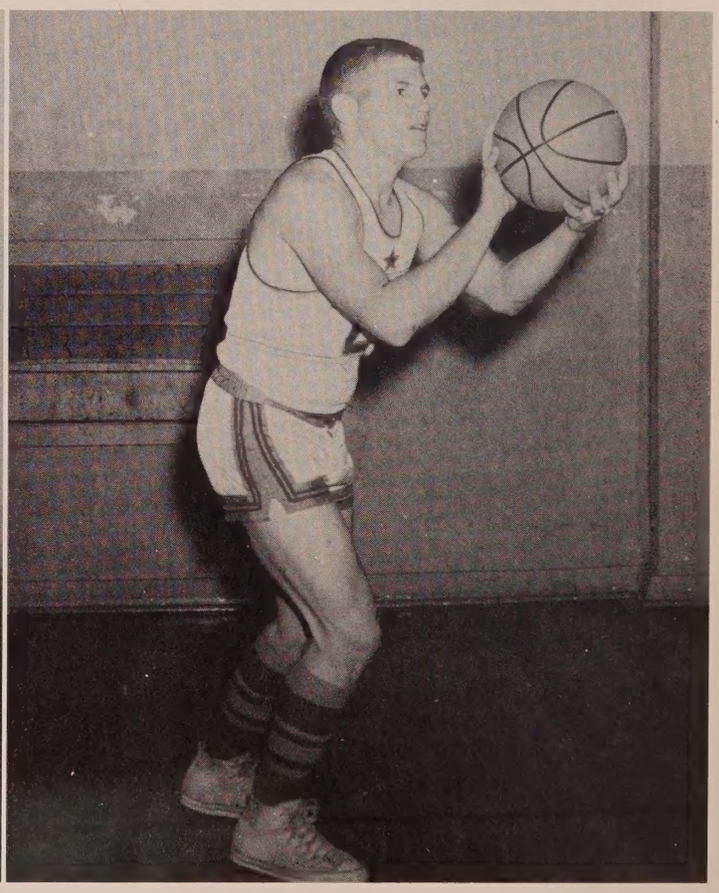
HOWARD HARRIS
Senior
Forward



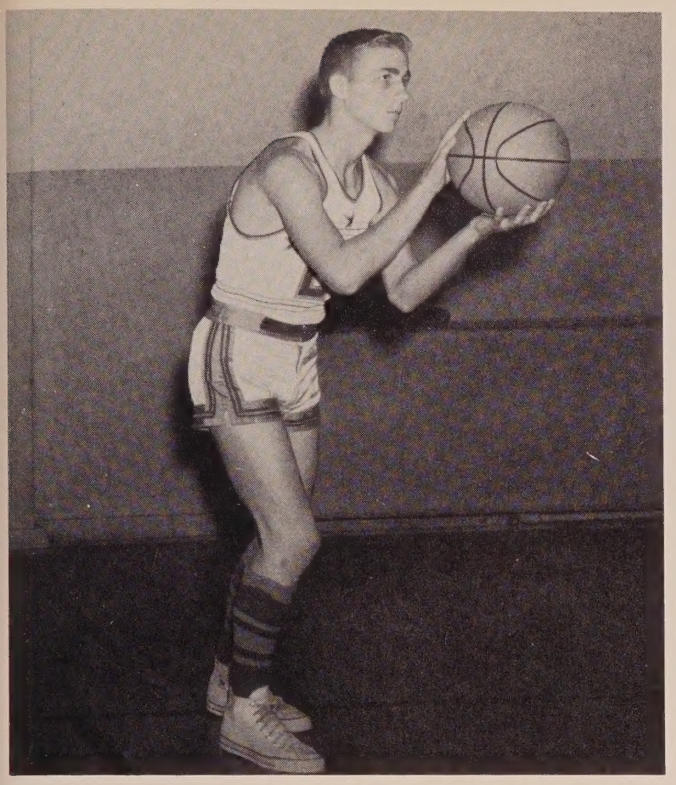
DALE TAYLOR
Sophomore
Forward



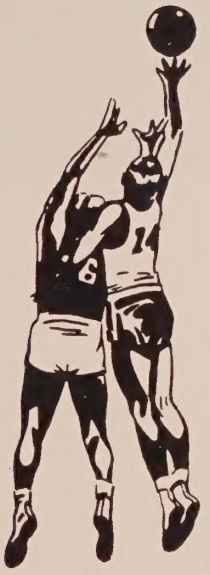
GEORGE BARAGONA
Junior
Guard



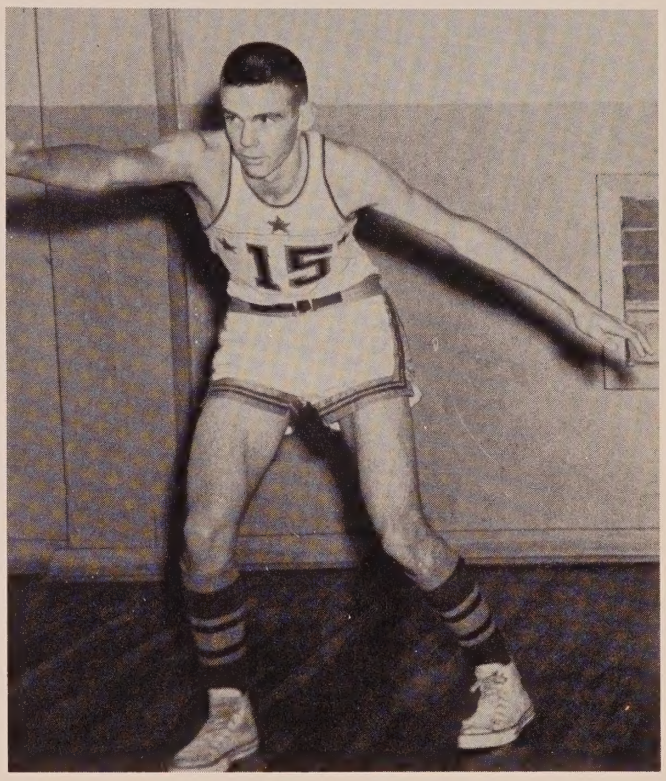
THEODORE SIMMONS
Senior
Guard

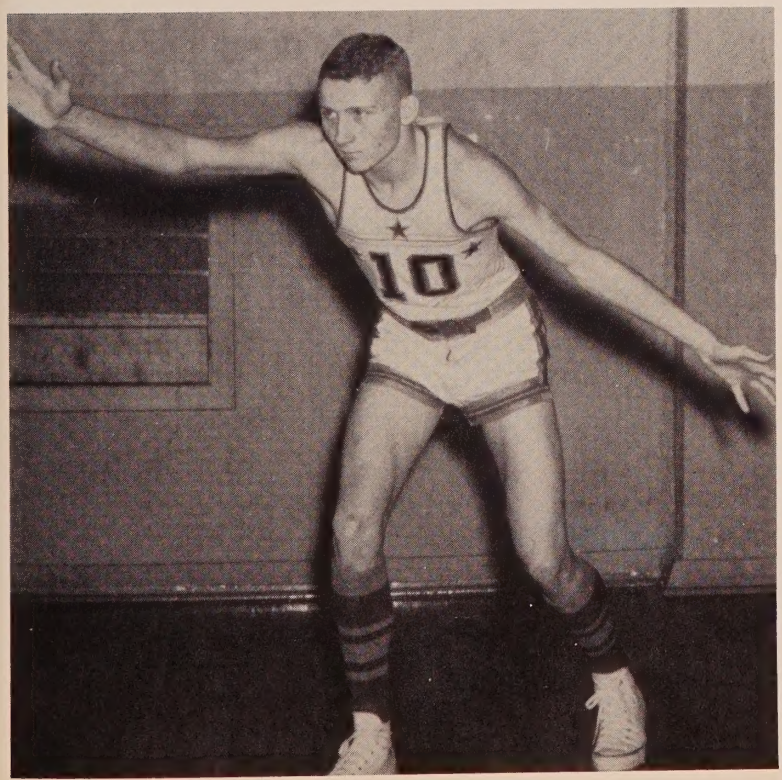


DALTON SHEFFIELD
Junior
Guard



W. A. ROGERS
Sophomore
Forward



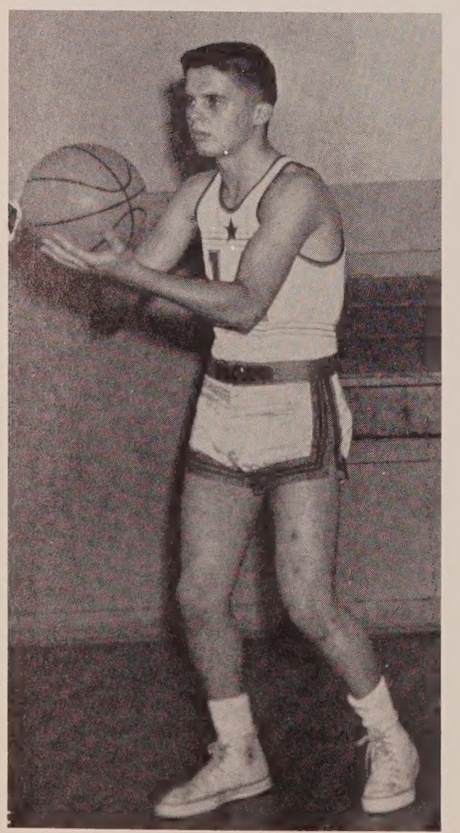


JIM HARRIS
Junior
Guard

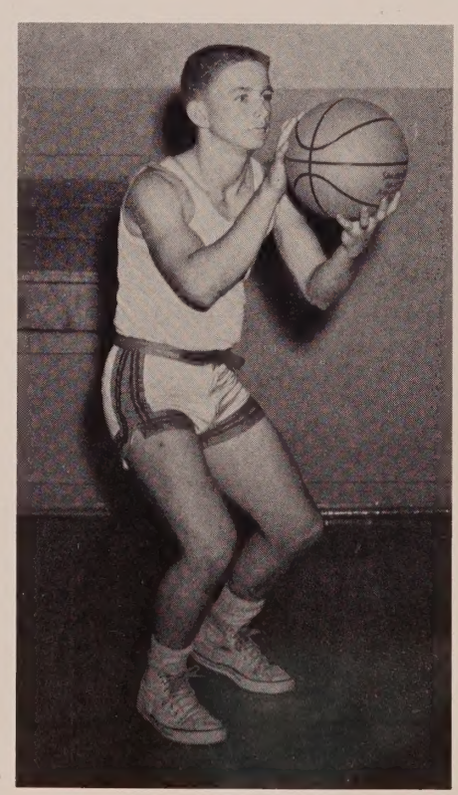
"B" TEAM

Coach Horne, Johnny Skipper, Bill Hewett, Allen Kelly, Tyrone May, Wesley Anderson, H. T. Waller, Larry Hewett, Adron Coatney, Coach Mitchell, Charles Simmons, Charles May, George Dietz, Drexel Harris.

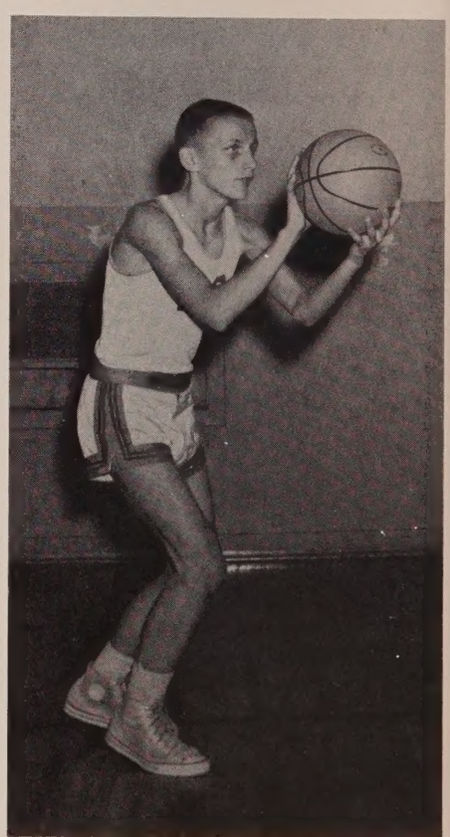
Coach Mitchell was very pleased with this team, which had such a high average of wins. As it appears, these boys have big promise for being a future "A" team.



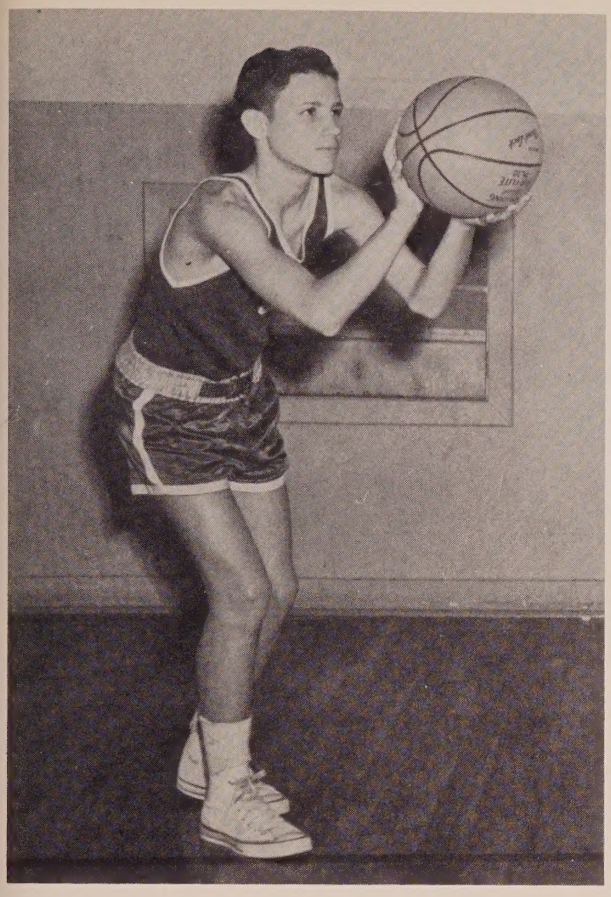
RONNIE BROCK
Sophomore
Forward



ADRON COATNEY
Freshman
Forward

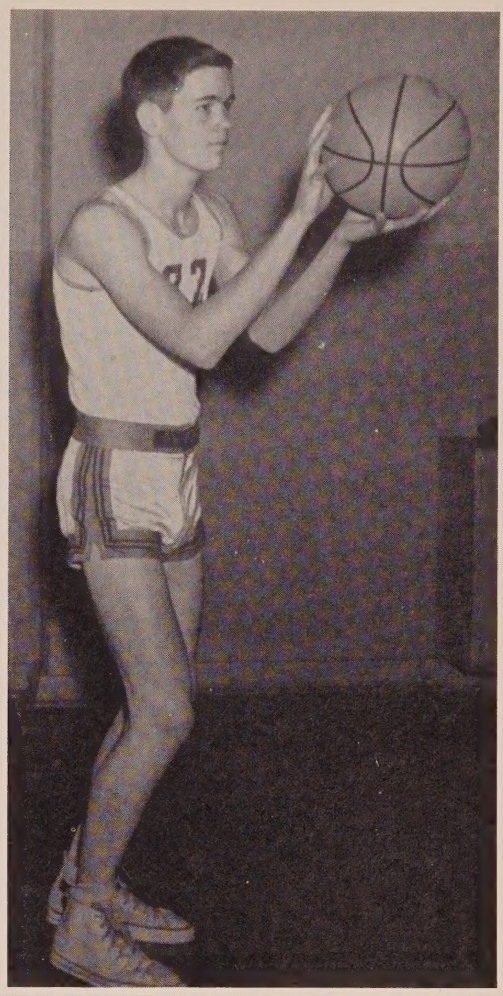


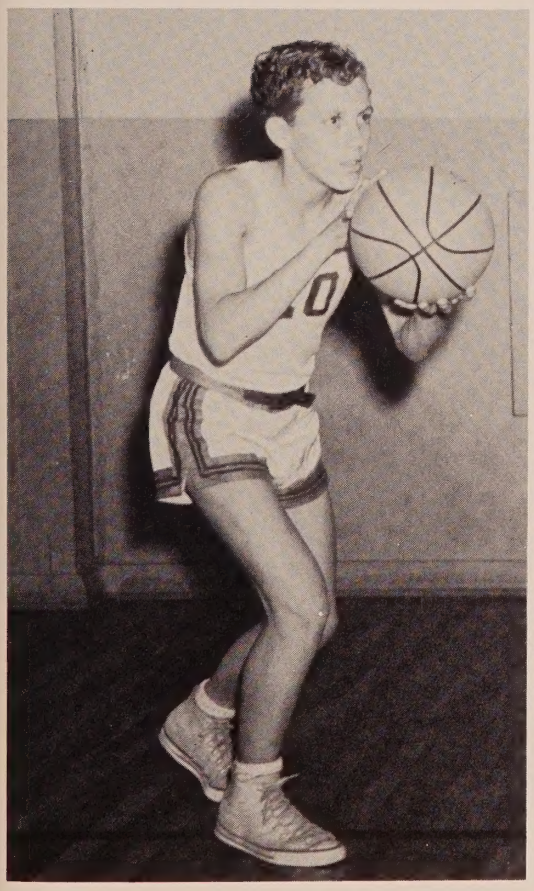
LARRY HEWETT
Sophomore
Guard



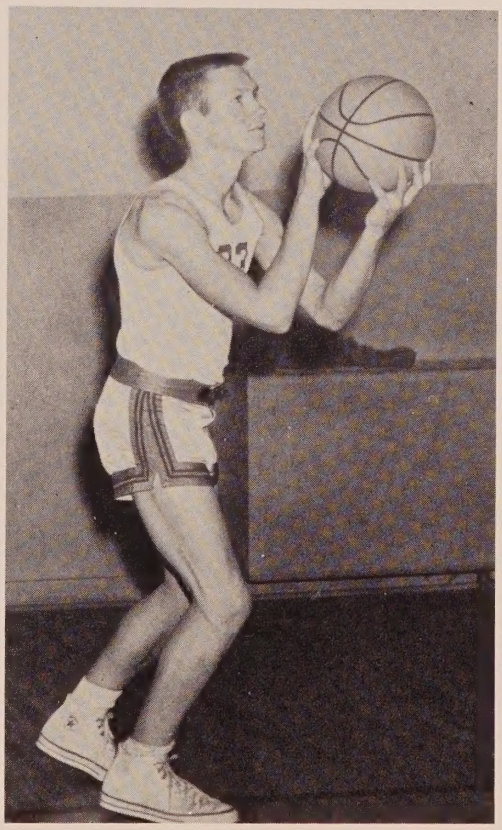
JOHNNY SKIPPER
Freshman
Guard

TYRONE MAY
Junior
Center

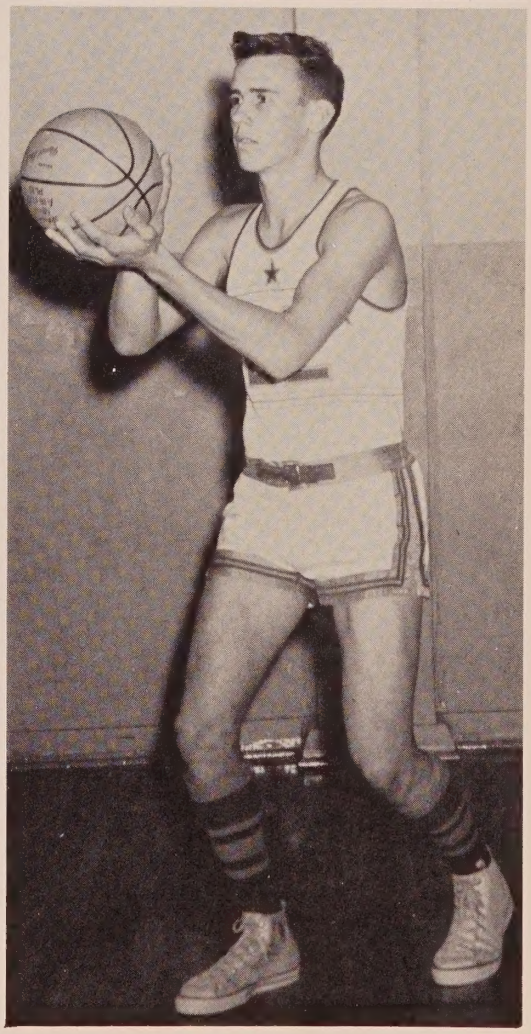




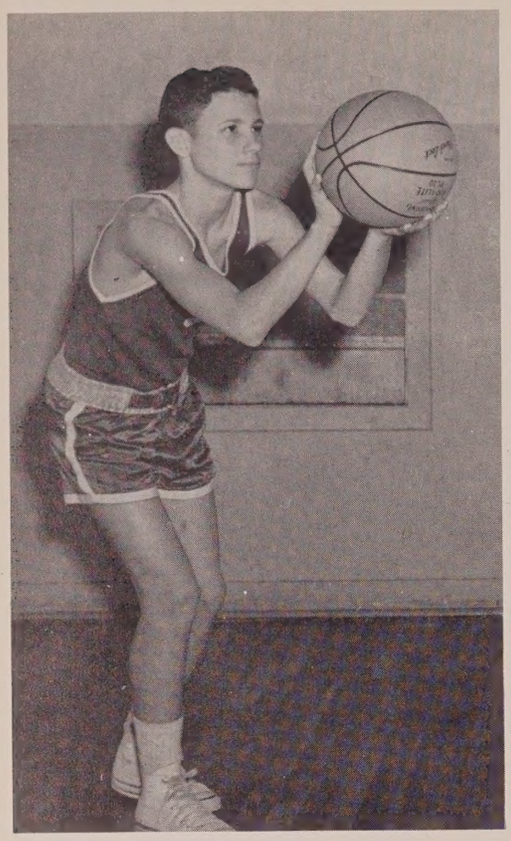
BILL HEWETT
Sophomore
Forward



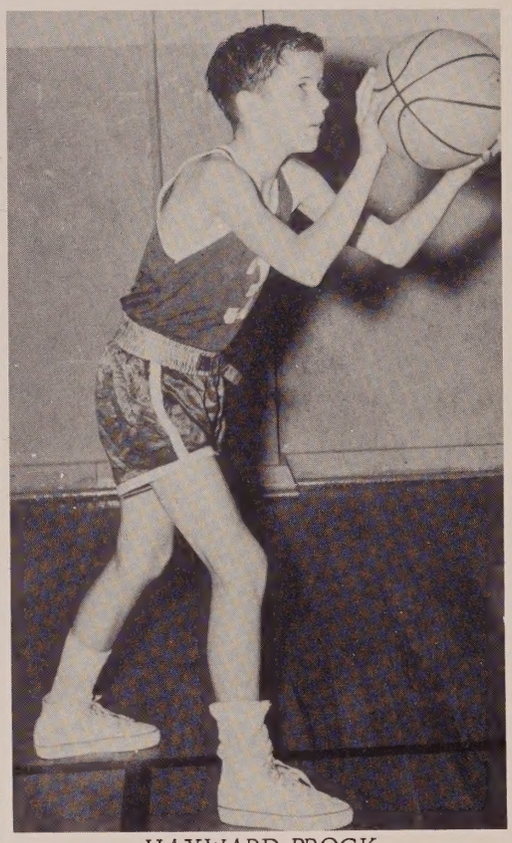
H. T. WALLER
Freshman
Guard



WESLEY ANDERSON
Freshman
Center



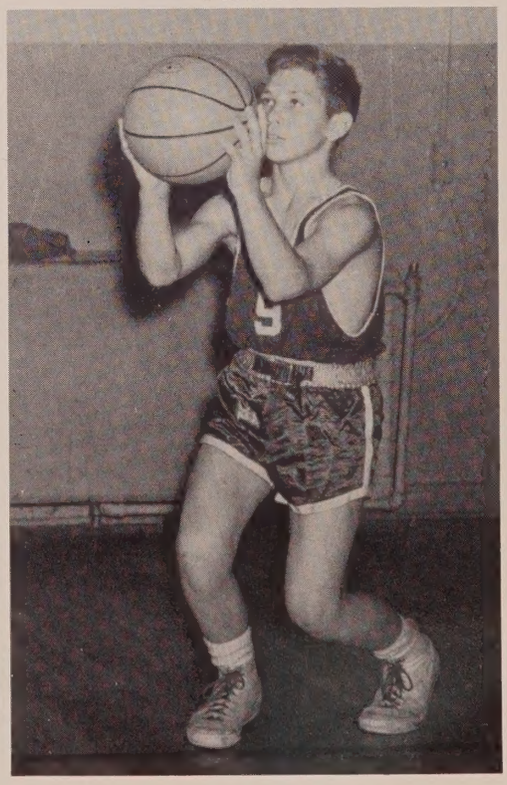
DREXEL HARRIS
Eighth Grade
Forward



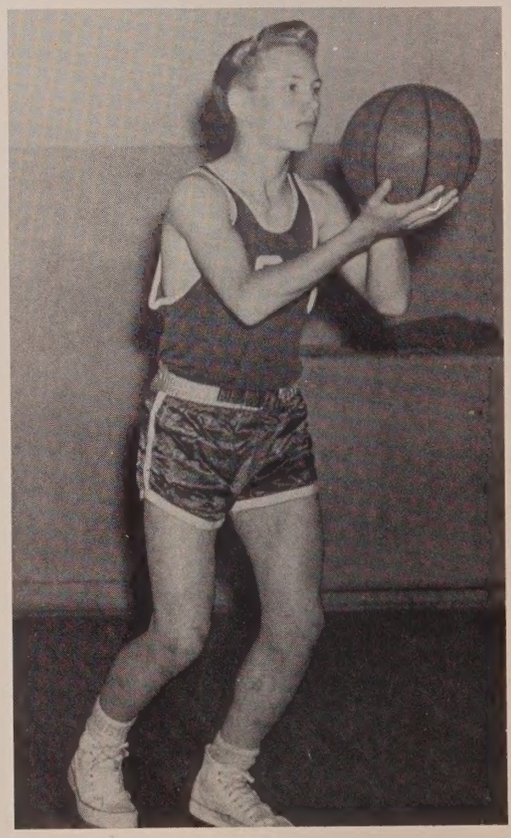
HAYWARD BROCK
Eighth Grade
Forward

GEORGE DIETZ
Eighth Grade
Guard

CHARLES MAY
Eighth Grade
Center



KENNY DYKES
Eighth Grade
Forward



WILLIE TAYLOR
Freshman
Forward

advertisers

Compliments of

COLONIAL BAKING COMPANY

Dothan, Alabama

DUNCAN TELEVISION AND APPLIANCES

Sales and Service
The Home of Philco
"Famous for Quality the World Over"

Phone ME 8-0756

Chipley, Florida

TOWNSEND'S

BUILDING SUPPLY COMPANY

Phone ME 8-2949

Chipley, Florida

Compliments of

BROCK STANDARD SERVICE STATION

Vernon, Florida

NORTHCUTT REXALL DRUG STORE

Prescription Druggists

Phone ME 8-2701

Chipley, Florida

Compliments of

VANCE THEATER

"Go out to a movie"
Where the big pictures play
Phone ME 8-0862
Chipley, Florida

BOOSTERS

Hi-Way Service - Bonifay, Fla.
Morris Used Furniture - Chipley, Fla.
Ward's Barber Shop - Bonifay, Fla.
Bush's Cafe - Bonifay, Fla.
Lawrence Guess - Bonifay, Fla.
Family Store - Chipley, Florida
Mac's TV Service - Chipley, Fla.
FRM Feed Store - Chipley, Fla.
Sapp's Service Station & Bait Service
Vernon, Florida
Kendrick's Grocery - Vernon, Fla.

PEEL-PETTIS FUNERAL HOME

A Bonifay Institution

Phone LI-7-7711

Bonifay, Florida

Compliments of

BONIFAY DRIVE INN

and

GENE'S BOWLING MACHINES

GENE SIMS, Owner

JONES CHEVROLET COMPANY
Your Chevrolet Dealer
New and Used Cars - Sales and Service

Bonifay, Florida

Compliments of

HOLMES COUNTY FURNITURE COMPANY

Bonifay, Florida

Deposit Your Money in

THE

BANK OF BONIFAY

"No Substitute for Safety"
Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation
Deposit Guaranteed Up to $10,000

Bonifay, Florida

SIMS FUNERAL HOME

"Most Dependable Ambulance Service"
RUNDOLPH SIMS Phone LI-7-4681

Licensed Funeral Director

ANNIE LOU WILLIAMSON

Bonifay, Florida

LITTLE'S FLOWER SHOP

Always the best in flowers
and service

Phone LI-7-5481 Bonifay, Florida

Compliments of

PADGETT DRUG COMPANY

Bonifay, Florida

Compliments of

McFATTER'S STORE

Vernon, Florida

O. K. WILLIAMS
GROCERY AND MARKET
Bonifay, Florida

BUSH AUTO COMPANY
Your Ford and Mercury Dealer
Bonifay, Florida

Compliments of
MARIAN'S BEAUTY SHOP
Phone LI-7-2571
Bonifay, Florida

KOLMETZ
TEXACO SERVICE STATION
Vernon, Florida

Compliments of

FLORIDA BANK AT CHIPLEY

Member Florida National Group

Chipley, Florida

Compliments of
CRAWFORD FURNITURE
& EXCHANGE
ME-81872
Chipley, Florida

Compliments of
CHRISTO'S 5 & 10
Chipley, Florida

Compliments of

WATFORD'S DRUG STORE

"Just What Your Doctor Orders"
Prescription Druggists
Phone ME 8-0034
Chipley, Florida

Refreshing remembrance

AUTOGRAPHS

Bottled under authority of The Coca-Cola Company by

HYGEIA COCA-COLA BOTTLING CO.

Defuniak Springs, Florida

C & D
PONTIAC COMPANY, INC.

Authorized Dealers

Pontiac and GMC Sales and Service

Phone ME-8-0711

Chipley, Florida

Compliments of

W. T. McFATTER, JR.

Washington County

CHIPLEY
BOTTLING COMPANY

W. P. ATKINS, Manager

Bottlers of High Grade

Carbonated Beverages

Chipley, Florida

Compliments of

H. R. PIERCE

Washington County

Compliments of

GULF POWER COMPANY

Serving Northwest Florida

Chipley, Florida

PELT'S 5¢, 10¢, 25¢, & $1.00

Bonifay, Florida

Compliments of

H. W. VARNUM, Tax Collector

Washington County

Compliments of

DOTHAN CIGAR & CANDY COMPANY

Dothan, Alabama

LORAN L. COOK

Clerk of Circuit Court

Washington County

Chipley, Florida

TOBIAS GROCERY & MARKET

Chipley, Florida

TRUDY'S BEAUTY SHOP
TRUDY CROSSLEY

Phone Me-8-0436
Chipley, Florida

DIXIE LILY
MILLING COMPANY

Meal, Grits, Syrup, Peas, Beans

South's Cleanest Mills

Chipley, Florida

Compliments of

MR. AND MRS. J. O. BLACKBURN

MR. AND MRS. HIRAM WACHOB

"We are proud of Washington County"

Phone ME-8-2772

Chipley, Florida

DASINGER'S
FOOD STORE

Fancy Groceries

Phone ME-8-2770

Chipley, Florida

Compliments of

PIGGLY-WIGGLY
SUPERMARKET

Washington County's Largest and Most Modern Food Store

Air Conditioned Large Parking Lot 3 Check Outs

We Give S & H Green Stamps

Chipley Florida

Compliments of

COGGIN AND DEERMONT
INC.

General Contractors

Chipley, Florida

RILLA'S
FLOWERS & GIFTS
Phone ME 8-1969
ME 8-1778
515 S. 6th Street - Chipley, Florida

KATHRYN'S BEAUTY SHOP
617 E. Hiway 98
Panama City, Florida
Owned and Operated by OVIDA C. BELL

Compliments of

BOWEN HARDWARE

General Electric Appliances
Complete Line Building Materials

Phone LI-7-7671

Bonifay, Florida

Compliments of

**EVERETT BROS.
FORD COMPANY**

Chipley Florida

Compliments of

CHIPLEY TRACTOR COMPANY

Your International Harvester Dealer

Tractor Trucks

Farm Equipment

Phone ME 8-2873

Chipley, Florida

Compliments of

CHIPLEY HARDWARE

Chipley, Florida

EDNA'S BEAUTY SHOPPE

MErcury 8-0463

Chipley, Florida

Compliments of
F. T. COLEMAN, Distributor
Gulf Oil Products
MErcury 8-0070
Chipley, Florida

**THRIFT'S
DEPARTMENT STORE**

Where Thrifty Shoppers Save

Chipley, Florida

Congratulations

CLASS OF '60

SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY

EVANS

For Good Merchandise

Bonifay Florida

PAGE'S
GROCERY AND MARKET
New Hope Community -
Star Route, Vernon
We Specialize in
A COMPLETE LINE OF FISH BAIT
Groceries, Gas and Oil
General Merchandise
Day and Night Service

SCOTTY'S DRIVE IN CAFE
Hwy. 90-East-in Chipley, Florida
TEEN TALK

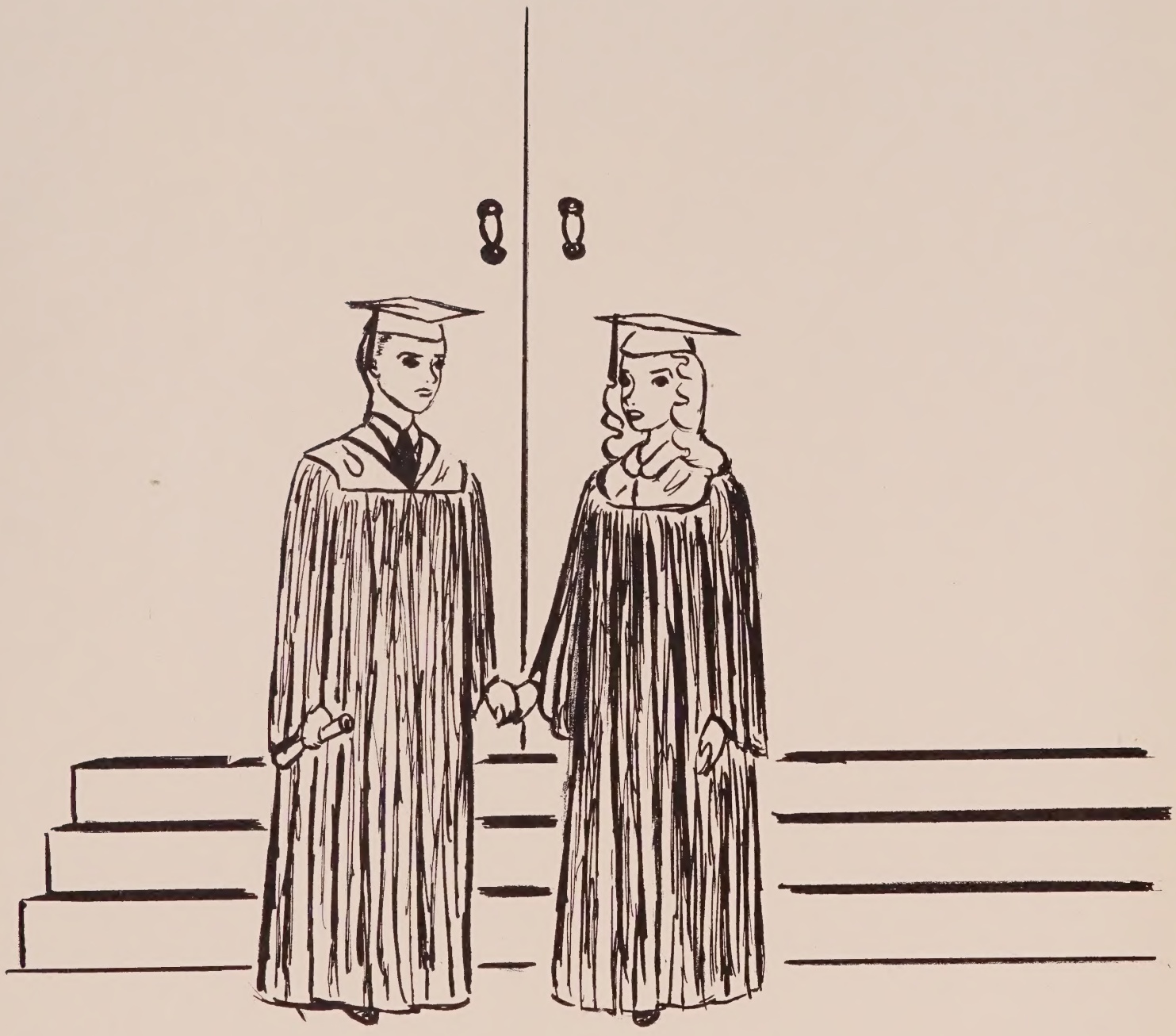
"Serving people for over 40 years"
BONIFAY REXALL DRUGS
Store Phone Li-7-4661
H. B. DOUGLAS, Prop.
Res. Phone LI-7-2731
Bonifay, Florida

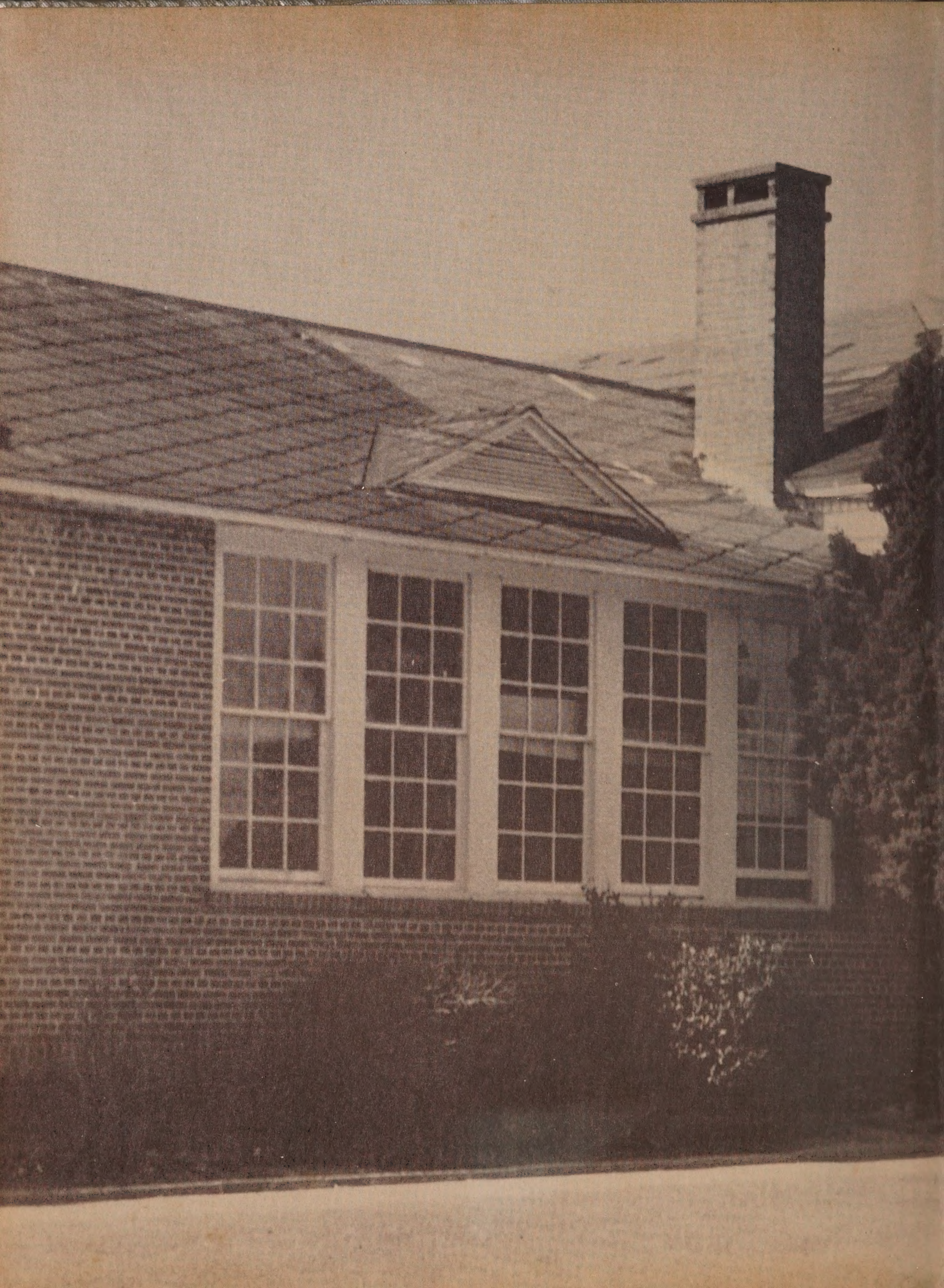
Your Yearbook

THE JACKET BUZZ

is your

Book of Memories





Property of
Vernon Historical Society
Donated by
Stephen Brown Simmons
2012

TAYLOR MADE
YEARBOOKS
DALLAS